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OF
KINGSTON PARISH

MATHEWS COUNTY, VIRGINIA
(until May 1, 1791, Gloucester County)

1679-1796

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SECRETARY OF THE VIRGINIA HISTORICAL SOCIETY,
in recognition of his extraordinary services and fruitful labors
in the field of historical investigation, whereby
he has made all serious students of
Virginia's history his debtors,
this volume is
with gratitude and great respect
Dedicated
by
The EDITOR

Preface

The MS. volume hereinafter reproduced contains the earliest records of Kingston Parish, Mathews County, Virginia, known to be in existence, though the parish itself can be traced back to the year 1657 [see page x], and was probably established as early as 1652. It is one of the many Vestry Books that Bishop Meade used as sources when writing his *Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia*, and is now in the possession of the Library of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, at Alexandria. Permission to transcribe and publish it was given the undersigned by the Rev. Berryman Green, D. D., LL. D., Dean of the Seminary.

The "Vestry Book" is a folio 14 inches tall by 9 inches wide, and contains 61 leaves. It is, properly speaking, not one record, but two; but at what date the two manuscripts were bound up together is not known to the present editor. The first record begins with the year 1679 (Nov. 15), and ends in 1726; it consists of 6 leaves (12 pages). The second record starts with the year 1740(?), and ends in 1796; it comprises 55 leaves (110 pages). Lying in the book, but not attached to it in any way there was discovered a small sheet of paper, $6\frac{1}{2}$ inches by $5\frac{3}{4}$ inches, containing a copy of an Order of Gloucester County Court, dated Feb. 5, 1784, directing the Vestry of Kingston Parish to divide the parish into precincts for processioning, etc. A transcript of this paper will be found on page 131.

In Meade, *Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia*, Phil., 1885, Vol. I, p. 325, occurs under the heading "Kingston Parish, Mathews County", the following:

"This was originally one of the parishes in Gloucester.

There are loose leaves of an old vestry-book, going back to the year 1677, the first of which leaves do not indicate how much older the book was. It was called the parish in North River precinct. It has a peculiarity distinguishing it from all other parishes. With the vestrymen, who were generally very few, there met a larger number of the inhabitants, who seem to have managed the affairs of the parish in conjunction.

"From 1677 to 1691 the Rev. Michael Typerios and James Bowker were ministers; but when their ministries began or ended cannot be made out. In the year 1740 the Rev. John Blacknal appears on the first page of another imperfect vestry-book. It cannot be ascertained how much of the vestry-book was lost, and how long Mr. Blacknal may have been the minister before 1740. He died in 1747 and was succeeded by the Rev. John Dixon in 1750, the Rev. John Locke having served meanwhile for three months. In the year 1770 Mr. Dixon resigned, and died in 1777. Four applicants appeared for the parish, the Revs. Thomas Baker, Thomas Field, Arthur Hamilton, and Archibald Avens, of whom Mr. Field was chosen, Mr. Baker having previously served three months. In the year 1778, Mr. Field either dying or resigning, Revs. Robert Read and William Dunlop were candidates, when the former was chosen. In the year 1784 the Rev. Thomas Hopkinson became its minister, and in the year 1789 the Rev. James McBride. In 1794 the Rev. Armistead Smith, of the old family of Smith in that part of Virginia, became the minister, being ordained by Bishop Madison."

To the foregoing recited facts, all of which Bishop Meade found in the records of Kingston Parish embodied in the two old Vestry Books published in this volume, the editor can add little of importance. However, he hopes that the following notes containing extracts from various sources may prove of some interest to students of Colonial Virginia parish history.

In *Hening*, Vol. I, p. 371, under date Aprill the 26th 1652, occurs the following item, which contains, in the list of "the

names of the several Burgesses returned by the Sherriff to this Grand Assembly", the first mention of Gloucester County in *Hening*:

"Gloucester County	Mr. Hugh Guinne Mr. Fra. Willis"
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In *Hening*, Vol. I, pp. 373-375, under date November the 25th, 1652, occur the following items:

(1) "The names of the Burgesses for the severall Plantations.

Gloster County	Coll. Hugh Gwinne Mr. Fra. Willis."
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(2) "WHEREAS Chr. Boyse by appeale from the Governor and Councill the last court impleaded Coll. Hugh Gwinne before this Grand Assembly about certain land in Pyancatannk River, The Assembly vpon pervsall of their severall pattents and grants doe finde prioritie of title for the said Gwinne, according to former orders in the government of Sr. William Berkeley, Knt. and the last quarter court, And the plt. & defendant to beare theire owne charges."

(3) "IN the difference between Mr. Peter Ranson, plt. and John Hewett and Wm. Holder, defend'ts. It is ordered by this Grand Assembly that Mr. Peter Ranson's pattent shall stand good for 1100 acres of land in Mock-Jack bay, And that Hewett and Holder be outed and decline the possession till it be made appeare void by some that shall make better right appeare, It now appearing that none pretending to it in the right of Dawber have power to question his title; 100 lb of tob'o being allowed him for costs from each of them (vizt) 100 lb. of tobacco from Holder, and 100 lb. of tobacco from Hewett, *alias execution*."

(4) "IT is ordered by the Grand Assembly, that Mr. Peter Ranson shall have and enjoy 1100 acres of Land in Mock-Jacks bay on the North River of Mock-Jacks bay on the easterne side thereof, and the other 500 acres being granted to Mr. Wm. Whitby being the first grantees by this Assemby."

On page 304 of Pattent Book 4 in the Virginia Land Office, State Capitol, Richmond, Va., occurs, under the date March 15, 1657, the record of a grant to John Chapman of 250 "Acres of Land in the County of Gloucester in Kingston Parish upon the South side of Peanketank River."

In *Hening*, Vol. II, p. 552, under the date March 15, 1676-7 occurs the following item recounting the experiences suffered at the hands of Governor Sir Wm. Berkeley by one of the followers of Nathaniel Bacon, the Rebel, in Kingston Parish:

"Whereas Sands Knowles, of Kingston Parish in Gloucester county, being in rebellion against his majesty, was, in the month of October last, (then in the height of the late horrid rebellion) by virtue of a commission to major Robert Beverley, granted by the right honourable the governor, taken prisoner, and with him, divers of his goods, servants, slaves, provisions, and a shallop, seized, taken and carryed away by the said Beverley and the souldiers under his command, and presented to the right honourable the governour, then at the house of major. gen. John Custis, in Northampton county, on the Easterne shore; who, for the said Knowles his rebellious and treasonable practices, committed him to prison, and condemned all his said goods, servants, slaves, provisions, and boate, and ordered and disposed part of the same to be expended, sould, and layd out for provisions for his majesties souldiers, which was accordingly done, and gave the rest immediately to the said Beverley and his souldiers under his command for their incouragement and good service. And whereas the said knowles remains a prisoner, under bayle, to this day, to answer the crimes, rebellions and treasons by him committed against his most sacred majestie, and soe excepted out of the right honourable the governour's general pardon, bearing date the 10th of february 1676-7, and grounded upon his majesties most gracious proclamation of pardon; for the crimes, treasons and rebellions by him committed, humbly offering to renounce, acquitt, and discharge all right or claime of him the said Knowles, forever hereafter, to any or all the said goods, servants, slaves, boate

or provisions, by the said Beverley, or any souldier with him, soe taken and carried away, acknowledging the same to be justly lost (by him) and forfeited forever; his said relinquishment of the said goods, &c. was ordered to be entered upon record; and the said Knowles his petition granted, and his acknowledgement and humble submission, in open court, put upon record, to the end the King's majesties most gracious pardon may be of full force and effect to him the said Knowles, and his remaining estate, he takeing the oath of obedience and giving good bond with securities for his future good behaviour.

In the *Minutes of the Council and General Court of Colonial Virginia, 1622-1632, 1670-1676*, appears, under the date, The 15th March 1676, the following:

Whereas M^r George Seaten of Kingstone Pish in Gloucester County one of his Mat^{ies} Justices of y^e Peace being in Rebellion Against his most Sacred Ma^ty was in the time of the said Rebellion on or about the beginning of November last taken prisoner by Major Rob^t Beverley & with him divers of his Goods & P)visions, Seized & taken & Carried to the Right Hon^{ble} the Governo^r then Resideing on the Eastern Shore who Comd the Said Seaton - - - & Condemned & disposed his goods & p)visions Soe Seized & - - - to the vse & Incouragem^t of his Mat^{ies} Souldiers & - - - Remained Prisoner vnder Bayle four - - - to the said Seaton was by order of the R^t Hon^{ble} the Governo^r Seized & marked with the broad Arrow Butt left in the house & Possession of the said Seaton, vntill Convenient time for their Remouevall And whereas the said Geo Seaton did this day Make Humble Sute to the Court that he might Receive the Benefitt & mercy of his Sacred Mat^{ies} most Gracious P^don Praying for Releasement of his Said foure hhds of Tobacco Soe Seized as aforesaid and Submissively Relinquishing all Right Claime, Title or Intrest to any the said Goods Seized or Carried away by the Said Beverley or his Souldiers This Court doth order & Adjudge the Said Goods to be by Reason of their being taken & removed in time of Rebellion wholly Lost & fforfeited, Butt By Reason the

said fflower hoggheads of Tobacco were only vnder Seizure & not removed that therefore the Said Seaton may make free vse of the Same vntill it Shall be determined by his Mat^{ie} & Lords of his Hono^{b1e} Councill whether the same be not forfeited by Reason of the said Seizure, notwithstanding the Benefitt of his mat^{ies} Gravious P^odon is vpon the Said Seatons Humble Petition Granted & Confirmed to him he takeing the oath of Obedience & giveing bond wth Sufficient Security for his future Good behavior."

In the *Executive Journals of the Council of Colonial Virginia*, Vol. I, pp. 23 and 24 occurs the following item:

"Middle Plantation May 25th 1682

Whereas It is represented that some ill disposed women in Gloucester County, doe persist in y^e evil and notorious riots, spoiles and great abuses and damages of cutting up Tobacco plants, in direct opposition to Lawes and Statutes in the like case made and provided and in high contempt to y^e Govern^{rs} Proclamation and positive orders for preventing and suppressing all riots and outrages of y^t nature, & whereas It is signified that y^e wife of Thomas Allman and y^e wife of Richard Longest are most notoriously active in ye aforementioned wickedness and y^t y^e s^d Thomas Allman & Richard Longest doe refuse to find good security for y^e good behaviour of y^e wives of them y^e said Thomas Allman & Richard Longest Its therefore resolved & Accordingly ordered y^t L^t Coll Jo^a Armstead do forthwith cause y^e wives of Tho: Allman & Richd Longest to be taken into safe custody & them securely to detain, & cause to appear before y^e Govern^r & Council att Middle Plantation on y^e 30th instant to answer to what shal be objected ag^t them on his Majesties behalfe & to be proceeded ag^t as by Law in y^e like case is prescribed."

In the same volume occurs, on page 157, the following:

"Att a Councill held at James City Feby 18th 1690 [1690-91]

John Stephens Master of the Shipp Bristoll Merch^t now in Mockjack Bay, giving an account that in this present Voyage

to this Country on the 15th December last he mett with a small French Barque belonging to Rochell in France, and came then from Keyou, who had an English Man Prisoner aboard, who they took from the said Barke but having but few Men and None of them willing to goe either for England or Virginia in the said Barque onely tooke from her two Petteraroes [Pedreroes (small guns)] three Musquetts, about seven hundred pds of Shugar, some Parretts and Parraketoes some Oranges and about seven hundred Sows [sous] and soe let her goe, On Consideration whereof It is Ord'd that the said Stephens putt the Patteraroes and Musquetts on Shore for their Ma^r use at M^r Sands Knowle's Plantation in Gloucester County, and the rest being of small value, most of the Shugar being spent at Sea, to take for the Incouragement of the Men belonging to the aforesaid Shipp."

In the *Journals of the House of Burgesses of Virginia, 1727-1734, 1736-1740* (Vol. VI), page 189, occurs the following:

"Wednesday, September 4, 1734.

A Petition of Robert Bernard, and Charles Tomkies, Gent. was presented to the House, and read; praying That Leave may be given to bring in a Bill, to dock the Intail of Two Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land, whereof the said Robert Bernard is seised in Tail Male, in the Parish of Petworth, in the County of Gloucester, and Vesting the same in Charles Tomkies; and to settle Four Hundred Acres of Land, in the Parish of Kingstone, in the County aforesaid, whereof the said Charles Tomkies is seised in Fee, of greater Value, upon the said Robert Bernard, to the same Uses, according to an Agreement made between them

Ordered, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill, according to the prayer of the said Petition: And that M^r Francis Willis, M^r Armistead, M^r Martin, and M^r Henry Willis, do prepare and bring in the same"

In Hening, Vol. XIII (1789-1792), page 162, occurs the following:

"CHAP XLI

An act for dividing the county of Gloucester

(Passed the 16th of December, 1790)

SECT. I. BE it enacted by the General Assembly, That from and after the first day of May next, the county of Gloucester shall be divided into two distinct counties, that is to say, all that part of the said county lying to the eastward of a line, to begin at the mouth of North river, thence up the meanders thereof to the mill, thence up the eastern branch of the millpond to the head of Muddy creek, thence down the said creek to Piankatank river, shall be one distinct county, and called and known by the name of Mathews, and the residue of the said county shall retain the name of Gloucester".

The foregoing references to Kingston Parish, or to individuals more or less connected with that parish, are all that the editor has been able to find in the Colonial Virginia records in Richmond. It is to be regretted that they are so scanty. For the history of the parish subsequent to the period embraced in this volume, the student is referred to Meade, *Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia*, Vol. I, pp. 325-327.

With regard to the name of the incumbent of Kingston Parish from 1680 to 1687 a few words here will, perhaps, not be out of place.

It will be noted above that Bishop Meade speaks of the Rev. Michael Typerios as having been one of two ministers of Kingston Parish between 1677 and 1691. Now the transcriber is of the opinion (which he advances, he hopes, with modesty) that the name of the minister in question was Zyperus and not Typerios. In support of this opinion he refers, first, to the photograph copy of page 3 of the MS. vestry book (facing page 5 of the printed volume), where the *autograph* signature of the clergyman appears, and, second, to the fact that in the years 1667 and 1683 a Rev. Mr. Superias (or Superious) preached on occasion in Christ Church Parish, Mid-

dlesex County (the adjoining parish to Kingston), as we know from references to him to be found on pages 11 and 40 of *The Vestry Book of Christ Church Parish, Middlesex County, Virginia, 1663-1767*. The clerk of the vestry might easily have written Superias or Superious for the name Zyperus (which he must often have heard pronounced but had perhaps never seen written), but no ordinary man could conceivably confuse two names as unlike in sound as Typerios and Superias.

The specimen pages of the MS. used to illustrate the volume are reproductions of photographs made from the original by Dementi, of Richmond. It is hoped that they will prove of interest as illustrating peculiarities of handwriting before the year 1700 (pages 3, 4 and 5) and common forms of abbreviation of the period between 1683 and 1751, some of which cannot be accurately reproduced in print (pages 3, 4, 5 and 30), as well as for other reasons. On page 3 can be seen the autograph signature of the Minister in 1687, while on pages 4, 5 and 46 appear the autograph signatures of many of the Vestrymen and Inhabitants between 1687 and 1760.

Blanks in the MS. which were left by the Clerk to be filled in later but were never filled in are indicated in the printed volume by blank spaces. Gaps in the MS. resulting from tearing, rubbing, or other kinds of intentional or unintentional mutilation are indicated by blank spaces enclosed in brackets. Unintentional omissions in the MS. and all mistakes of whatever kind are, as far as was found possible, reproduced in the printed volume as made. The number of unintentional errors made was very great. Examples of some of the more glaring ones can be found on pages 58 (line 4; where the last name of Captain Gwyn Reade was omitted) and 92 (last line; where the character & was written for the proper name Ann).

Pages in the MS. are indicated in the printed volume by Arabic numerals enclosed in parentheses.

In the indexes the number of times a name or a topic occurs on a page is indicated by a small Arabic numeral above, and to the right, of the numeral indicating the number of the page.

Although the editor has read the proof four times, in every case using the original MS. as his guide, he is aware of the fact that in works of this kind some mistakes are inevitable. He hopes that the number of such mistakes is small. Any one wishing to check up on the work can do so by comparing the printed volume with the original MS. (in the Library of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, at Alexandria) or with the photostat copy of the original on file in the Archives Department of the Virginia State Library, in Richmond.

To his son, Edward Pye Chamberlayne, for material aid in preparing the indexes, and to Mr. Edwin L. Levy, of the Old Dominion Press, to whose helpful suggestions and unwearyed interest the mechanical excellence of the book is entirely due, the editor wishes to acknowledge his great indebtedness.

If this volume serves to awaken further interest in the preservation and reproduction in print of the parish records of Colonial Virginia, the editor will feel more than repaid for his trouble in preparing it for the printer.

C. G. CHAMBERLAYNE.

Richmond, Virginia,
August 31, 1929.

The Vestry Book

...of...

Kingston Parish

Mathews County, Virginia, 1679-1796

[]e
Fish y^e North At a meeting [] Vestrymen & []
[]ver p^rcinct Novemb^r y^e 15th 1679

Present Coll Richd Dudley
Mr James Ranson
Mr James Hill Vestrymen

M ^r George Burge	
M ^r George Lescaillet	Neighbour []
The mark I of	y ^e Said []
Thomas Bayley	then p ^{rsent}
The mark H of	
Daniell Hunter	

It was & is agreed y^t Whereas there hath beene diverse
Tymb^r Trees f[] & made use of for y^e Reparacon of the
North-River Chapell w^{ch} trees grew up [] y^e Land of M^r
Thomas Tabb & was more then amounted to y^e Said Tabbs
propo[] It is agreed, Ordered, Consented to, & Determin-
ined by y^e S^a Vestry y^t on Condicon Sd Tabb shall fully remitt
all Claines for & Concerning all Timbr already f[] of
his for y^e use afores^d that there shall be noe more tymb^r
trees fallen up[] Lands of y^e sd Tabb for y^e tyme to come
untill y^e rest of y^e Pishoners in t[] Course have contributed

proportionably as much for y^e use aforesd as he y^e sd [] hath done already In witnesse whereof y^e Vestry of y^e p^cinct of y^e North-Ri[] Chappell aforesd have hereunto Sett their hands y^e day & Yeare above Specefie[]

Signed by y^e Vestry & Neighbourhood as abo[]
are Named

Vera Cop^a Tes^t George Axe C Vestry K^t []
1679

Kingstone At a meeting of y^e Vestrymen & Inhabitants
of y^e North River p^cinct of North River Octob^r
y^e 14th 1680

M ^r Mychaell Zyperus Clerg	
M ^r Sands Knowles	M ^r George Lescaillet
p ^r sent M ^r James Ranson	M ^r Jn ^o Seayres
M ^r George Burge Vestrymen	Thomas Bayley Inhabitan[]

Bought of M^r James Ranson for y^e Chappels
use a great Church Bible & two Larg Common
prayer books cost

100[]^{1^b to}

Bought of M^r Jn^o Seayres a Chest to keepe
y^e S^a Books cost

1[]

Ordered by y^e full consent of y^e abovesd Vestry & Inhabitants y^t M^r James [] be payd out of y^e p^cinct One thousand pds of Tob^o for a great Bible & two [] Common prayer Bookes for y^e use of y^e North-River Chappell & y^e he colle[] himselfe as Churchwarden

Ordered y^t M^r Jn^o Seayes be allowed for a Chest wth a lock & key to it [] keepe y^e abovesd Bookes One hundred pds of Tob^o to be pd him this p^rsent Co[] by y^e Churchwarden of y^e abovesd p^cinct

Ordered y^t Tho Clapp be pd five hundred pds of Tob^o & cask for keepin[] Cleane y^e Chappell & y^e Chappell Yard

M^{dm} This Vestry book given by m^r Jn^o Seayres for y^e use

of y^e p^rcinct of y^e Nor[] River y^e day of y^e said Vestry

The Charge of y^e Sd p^rcinct being 1630^{tb} of Tob^o divided by 119 Tyth[]b[] 13^{tb} of Tob^o $\frac{1}{3}$ pole & 83 being y^e fraction on y^e Division is allowed [] to be 14^{tb} $\frac{1}{3}$ pole

Test^t George Axe
1680

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[] on	At a Meeting of y ^e Vestrymen & Inhabitants
[] y ^e of y ^e aforesaid $\frac{1}{3}$ p ^r cinct Novemb ^r y ^e 2 ^d 1681	
[]th River	
[]cinct	
P ^r sent	M ^r Sands Knowles M ^r Jn ^o Seayres
	M ^r James Ranson
	M ^r George Burge M ^r Charles Jones
	Vestrymen Inhabitants

Ordered y^t Charles Jones Churchwarden of y^e North-River p^rcinct Collect three pounds of Tobacco $\frac{1}{3}$ pole of each Tythable in y^e Said p^rcinct for y^e paym^t of five hundred pounds of Tobacco & Cask this p^rsent yeare to Thomas Clapp for y^e paines he taketh upon y^e Chappell & Chappell-Yard but partly out of Charity to ye Said Clapp

The abovesd Vestrymen & Inhabitants have thought good to continue y^e Said Thomas Clapp in his abovesd Imploym^t & to allow him y^e aforesd quantity of tobacco

Test^t George Axe Cl Vest. Kingston
1681

At a Meeting of y^e Vestrymen & Inhabitants of y^e Northern p^rcinct y^e 23th of November 1682

Wee y^e Subscrib^rs, Vestrymen & Inhabitants of y^e abovesd p^rcinct doe Ord^r Jn^o Billups Churchwarden of y^e said p^rcinct to Repaire or cause to be repaired y^e Chappell belonging to

y^o said p^cinct & w^t y^e said Billups is at Charge about y^o said Work he bring in an Acc^t thereof as soone as he hath done y^o Same at w^{ch} tyme ord^r shall be taken to make him full Satisfaccon accordingly

George Burge	
George Leſcaillet	M: Zyperus
The mark of	James Ranſone
Daniell  Hunter	Sands Knowles
The mark of	Rich dudley Ju ^r
Thomas  Bayley	

[] stone At a Meeting of y^o Vestrymen & Inhabitants of
 [] y^o Northern p^cinct y^o 18th of Novemb^r 1682
 []

M ^r Sands Knowles	
Pr ^s ent M ^r James Ranson	M ^r George Leſcaillet Inhabitant
M ^r George Burge	

Ordered y^t Jn^o Billups Churchwarden of y^o North River p^cinct Collect 4^{lb} of Tob^o  pole of each Tythable in y^o said p^cinct for y^o Satisfaccon of Thomas Clapp for keeping of y^o Chappell & y^o Chappell Yard Cleane

Tes^t George Axe Cl Vestry Kingstone
 1682

(3)

Kingstone At a Meeting of y^o Vestry & Inhabitants
 Pr^sent North- ss of North R[] p^cinct Octob^r y^o 27th 1683
 River p^cint

M ^r James Ranson	M ^r Rob ^t Peyton
M ^r Sands Knowles	M ^r Richd Dudley
M ^r George Burge	M ^r Ambroſe Dudley
M ^r Jn ^o Billups	Daniell Hunter
Vestrymen	Tho: Bayley
	Charles Jones
	Inhabitants

Deed of land to Thomas Cawoodon of North River point called
two pounds of tobacco in land payment made good last thirsday.
Deed of land to Thomas Cawoodon way M. B. B. two hundred pounds of
tobacco in land payment this day paid.
Deed of land to Thomas Cawoodon way Thomas Capp two hundred & twenty pounds
of tobacco in land payment.
Deed of land to Thomas Capp for thirty pounds of tobacco to be afforded on
next year being in 1698 pounds.

George Fleet Posty Kingston

Augt 10 1684
A Meeting of vestry & Board of vestrymen & inhabitants of North River
planet Libra, 1684

Our party made up of inhabitants of about 30 persons, dug along the river bank & border to Shupper Creek, & the first sandstone was found to contain 18 per cent sand with the following fossils: long white stones (pp. 250) fine greenish leaves (pp. 250) small oval stones (pp. 250) & thin fine last year being in all 280. This is the best bed yet seen throughout the country & two feet thick. The bed is 40 ft. high.

Geo. 4. Regd

Aug: 27th A.D. June 1687

27th of June 1867
Dear Dr. M'Adams & Company Minot I did promise to you fine men
to give you a full account of our experience with the
various kinds of wheat we have sown. We have
not as yet had time to do so.

M. Zypnow

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Ordered y^t m^r Jn^o Seayres Churchwarden of y^e North River p^rcinct Collect three pounds of Tob^o in y^e said p^rcinct & y^t he make good hast therein.

Ordered y^t y^e said Churchwarden pay M^r Jn^o Billups two hundred pounds of tob^o out of y^e said p^rcinct this p^rsent yeare.

Ordered y^t y^e said Churchwarden pay Thomas Clapp two hundred & twenty pounds of tob^o & y^t he make him Speedy paym^t.

Creditt Given to Thomas Clapp for Thirty pounds of tobacco to be aſſeſſed on y^e next yeaſes Levy in y^e sd p^rcinct

Tes^t George Axe Cl Vestry Kingſtone

Kingſtone At a Meeting of y^e Vestry & Seall of y^e Wth North ſ^s Inhabitants of y^e North River Wthcinct Oc-River p^rcinct tob^r y^e 19th 1684

M^r James Ranson
M^r Sands Knowles
M^r Jn^o Billups
Vestrymen

M^r Rob^t Peyton
M^r Jn^o Seayres
M^r Richd Dudley Jun
Inhabitants

The Vestrymen & Seall of y^e Inhabitants of y^e abovesd p^rcinct did y^e day above nam[] Order mee as Clark of Vestry to Impower M^r Richd Dudley Jun y^e p^rſent Churchwarden [] Virtue hereof to Collect & pay Conveniently this p^rſent Wth Levy unto Thomas Clapp 250^{lb} of [] for his Service to y^e Chappell besides 30^{lb} of tob^o due to him since last yeaſe being in all 280^{lb} [] tob^o wth is two pds of tob^o Wth pole throughout y^e p^rcinct & two pds of tob^o still due to y^e sd Tho[] Clapp on Creditt till next yeaſe

Tes^t George Axe Cl Vestry Kingſtone

The 27th of June 1687

The Day abovesd M^r Mychaell Zyperus Minestr did prom-

ise to give fitt & Convenient Glasse for y^e Window at y^e Gable End of y^e New Chappell to be built for y^e Northern p^{cinc}[]

In witnesse whereof he hath hereunto Sett his hand

M: Zyperus

Kingto[]

(4)

Kingstone Parrish At a Meeting of y^e Vestrymen & North River P^{cinct} js Inhabitants of y^e abovesd y^e 11th of Octob^r 1687

	Coll Rich ^d Dudley	M ^r Richd Dudley
	M ^r James Ranson	M ^r Ambro ^{je} Dudley
P ^s ent	M ^r Sands Knowles	M ^r W ^m Elliott
	M ^r Jn ^o Billups	M ^r Tho: Neale
	Vestrymen	M ^r Edd Sadler
		Inhabitants

Ordered by y^e abovesd Vestrymen & Inhabitants That M^r Rob^t Elliott Churchwarden of y^e abovesd p^{cinct} doe forthwith Collect of each Tithable P^{son} in y^e sd p^{cinct} 162^{lb} of good Sweet sented Tobacco for & towards y^e building of a New Chappell in y^e above p^{cinct} & for other Necessary Charges thereabout; And y^t y^e sd Churchwarden Satisfye & pay unto Thomas Clapp for Cleaning y^e Chappell 276^{lb} of tob^o out of y^e sd Collection in Convenient Time to his Content & further y^t y^e sd Churchwarden Do detaine & Secure the Remaining Su^me of tob^o (after Collection thereof is made) in his hands, untill further ord^r be Given him by y^e abovesd Vestrymen & Inhabitants at their next Meeting about their dispoeing thereof.

The Charg Levyed is as followeth viz^t

To Tobacco for y ^e Workmen	20,000 ^{lb} Tob ^o
To Tob ^o for Glasse	1,000
Tobacco for Cask	1080
To Tho Clapp	276

The Totall Sume is

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On the 29th of October 1882

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Cedars and ~~Coastal~~^{Forest} & ~~Coastal~~^{Wetlands} (part of Royal National Park) which is about 102 km south west of Sydney and 10 km from the coast. The park contains a variety of coastal ecosystems including sand dunes, heathland, wetlands, and coastal forest. It is home to many rare and endemic species, including the Eastern Bristlebird, the Yellow-tailed Black Cockatoo, and the Eastern Water Dragon. The park also features several rivers and waterfalls, as well as numerous walking tracks and scenic viewpoints.

Chastity charged is as follows etc in L
100000 Tabaco for y ^r Clerkman - - - - -
1000 Tabaco for Clerks - - - - -
1080 Tabaco for Cash - - - - -
276 In the above - - - - -

*Gibson's total sum is - 223 & 6 being divided by 138 gives us
16 2/3 of two £'s. But from date of his receipt we*

AN*NE* 1596. *W*illiam *H*ayton
of *S*cotl*a*n*d*.

Kingstone & H. W. Acting agents for inhabitants of North Union District Regd
of Oct 1862, No 669
(See under Boucher Rd)

of Webster in 1692
John Brewster, Jr.
William Brewster, Mr. Chapman
John Brewster, Mr. Chapman
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Whereas the inhabitants of the village of St. John's do not know what to do with their
Methodist Church & lot, which is held by them, & is being used as a school room, &
about 130 feet off the main street, & about 100 feet from the residence of Mr. G. W. Johnson,
a prominent citizen and laborer, & the man who has been instrumental in getting up
the present church, & about 200 feet off the same, & is now owned by Mr. G. W. Johnson.
Thomas Parker & W. H. Horner, having for a long time been engaged in
the business of building & repairing houses, & lands, if any good consideration shall be
had for the small portion he is entitled to, & applied to me, I have no objection to make a
deed of said property to him, & his wife, for the purpose to make a farm.
I will also give him a tract of land, bounded by the creek and the river, &
about 100 feet wide, & 100 feet deep, which is now owned by Mr. G. W. Johnson.

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Divided by 138 Tythables comes to 162^{lb} of tob^o & pole from each Tythable $\frac{1}{138}$

Tes^t George Axe Cl Vestr Kingstone

Kingstone At a Meeting appointed for y^e Inhabitants
 W^{sh} ss of y^e North River p^rcinct y^e 9th day of Octob^r An^o 1690

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Whereas y^e Gentlemen of y^e Vestry & Inhabitants of y^e above p^rcinct have y^e day abovesd Assesed 200^{lb} of Tob^o & pole to be pd by each Tythable $\frac{1}{138}$ being in Numb^r in y^e sd p^rcinct 139 And Mr James Ranson & Mr Henry Wareing haveing (by y^e Request of Gentlemen abovenamed) taken y^e Collection thereof It is therefore Ordered y^t evy Tythable $\frac{1}{138}$ in y^e above p^rcinct pay y^e sd 200^{lb} of Tobacco & pole upon demand to y^e sd Mr James Ranson & Mr Henry Wareing for & toward y^e paym^t for y^e new Brick Chappell now in building in y^e aforesd p^rcinct And if any $\frac{1}{138}$ concerned shall Refuse to pay the Equall $\frac{1}{138}$ portion to y^e above Collector^s or to bring it to such houses as Shall be appointed Then y^e sd Collector^s have hereby power to make distraint

Ordered y^t 5^{lb} of tob^o & C^t be deducted for Cask out of y^e Sum^e Levyed by y^e above ord^rs

Ordered y^t Daniell Hunter be pd out of y^e tob^o to be Collected 500^{lb} of tob^o & Cask for y^e building of y^e Bridge at y^e head of y^e North River

James Ranfone	Robert Peyton
Robt Elliott	Sands Knowles
Tho: Neale	Henry Waring
The ^H mark of	Jn ^o Billups
Daniell ^H Hunter	[] ^m Elliott*
Thomas Ballard	

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At y^e aforesd Meeting y^e Gentlemen then prsent did willingly Consent y^t there shall be [] to George Axe Clark for keeping of y^e Vestry book & other paines by him taken at y^e laying y^e next Chappells Levy 500^{lb} of tobacco & Cask

The Copy of Rob^t Trews Ingagt^t

I Rob^t True in y^e yeare 1689 have now Built y^e North River Bridge, & have recd pay of Daniell Hunter these Lines shall be his discharg And further I doe oblige my Selfe mee my heires Exec^{rs} or assignes to y^e Gentlemen of y^e Vestry wth warranty to keep y^e sd Bridge in good Repaire for y^e full Tearme of Seaven yeares beginning from y^e date above menconed as witnes my hand this prsent Moneth of December y^e 21th 1690

Testes	The mark of
George Gillett	Rob ^t  True
Mathew Swanfone	

Vera Cop^a Test^t George Axe Cⁱ vestr Kingstone

Kingstone Parish	At a Meeting of y ^e Vestrymen &
North River p ^c inct	Inhabitants of y ^e abovesd p ^c inct y ^e 19 th day of Novemb ^r 1691

Capt James Ranfone	M ^r Rob ^t Peyton
Capt Sands Knowles	M ^r Richd Dudley
Capt Henry Waring	M ^r Ambrofse Dudley
M ^r Jn ^o Billups	M ^r W ^m Elliott

Vestrymen M^r Daniell Hunter

Inhabitants

* An illegible abbreviation follows this name. Probably it is Jno^r (Junior).—C. G. C.

James Knobles
Robert F. Knobles
John Phillips
Wm. Ex. At first
Rich'd & John, Fassmanhof
Rich'd & John, H. Knobles
Thomas Phillips
John Britton
John Knobles

Ordered y^t m^r Edmd Roberts pay unto George Axe Clark of y^e Vestry 500^{lb} of tob^o & Cask in y^e Northern Precinct this present Cropp

At a Meeting for y^e North River Precinct Octob^r y^e 9th 1692

P ^r esent	Cap ^t James Ransone	M ^r W ^m Elliott
	Cap ^t Sands Knowles	M ^r Thomas Ballard
	M ^r Rob ^t Peyton	M ^r Hum: Tomkins
	M ^r Jn ^o Billups	M ^r Tho: Neale

Ordered That M^r Rob^t Elliott Churchwarden Collect 138^{lb} of tob^o in y^e North River p^rcinct of each Tythable P^oson there for y^e Satisfaccon of m^r Edw^a Malen y^e last paymt for building y^e Chappell belonging to y^e sd p^rcinct & for y^e paymt of Charles Sanders Sextone y^e Sume of 300^{lb} tob^o for the Cleaning y^e sd Chappell to this day & y^e Remaind^r being 120^{lb} of tob^o to be pd to y^e sd Sanders he giveing y^e p^rcinc[] Creditt for it y^e next yeare

Ordered to m^r Edw^a Malyn out of y^e above tob^o to be Collected 18088^{lb} of Tob^o & Cask Saveing soe much as y^e Churchwarden shall be out to finish what work is further to be done in y^e Chappell

The Inhabitants of y^e Above p^rcinct have given their free Consent y^t Cap^t James Ranson to build a pew for his family in y^e Chancell of y^e Chappell

James Ransone	Rob ^t Elliott
Sands Knowles	Rich dudley iuno ^r
Robert Peyton	Thomas: Ballard
Jn ^o Billups	John Butler
W ^m Elliott*	Tho: neale

The mark of
W^m H Hurdle

* An illegible abbreviation follows this name. Probably it is Jno^r (Junior).—C. G. C.

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orth River At a Meeting for y^e aforesd P^rcinct
 P^rcinct ss y^e 8th of Novemb^r 1693

Cap ^t	Sands Knowles M ^r	Rob ^t Elliott	
present	M ^r Jn ^o Billups		Inhabitants
	M ^r W ^m Elliott	M ^r Tho: Ballard	

Ordered to Charles Sanders one pound of Tob^o P^r pole in
 y^e p^rinct being in all 131^{lb} tob^o to be paid to y^e Sd Sanders
 by y^e Churchwarden of y^t p^rinct

Charles Sanders is to give y^e p^rinct Credit for 51^{lb} tob^o
 next yeare

Tes^t George Axe Cl vestry Kingst[]

M ^r Edw ^a Maylen D ^r Acc ^{tt} 1692	
To yo ^r bill to Cap ^t Ranson	2186
To yo ^r note to Cap ^t Peyton	2853
To yo ^r note to Jn ^o Butler	1700
To yo ^r note to Cap ^t Peyton	735
To yo ^r note to Cap ^t Knowles	975
To 2 hh ^{ds} Tob ^o yo ^r boate foott*	1150
To tob ^o p ^d yo ^u P ^r W ^m Robarts	600
To tob ^o p ^d Law: Parrott	30
To tob ^o p ^d m ^r Axe P ^r Sessions	70
To yo ^r note to m ^r Bayler	666
To tob ^o p ^d Burton P ^r Powell	133
To tob ^o P ^r 16846 at 5 P ^r C ^t	844
To tob ^o due from m ^r Gregory	1242
To yo ^r note to Sessions	1300
To yo ^r note to m ^r Todd	1050
To tob ^o p ^d Tho: Hamon	169
To 3 hh ^{ds} Tob ^o	1860
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	17563

* This word was difficult to decipher. It may be brott.—C. G. C.

To ball due to m ^r Maylen	525
	18088
By yo ^r Crd ^t	18088
¶ Contra C ^r 1692	
Recd y ^e abovesd Acc ^{tt} this	
19 th of 7 ^{ber} 1693	
¶ mee E ^a Maylen	
Tes ^t W ^m Robarts	

This is a true Copy of y^e Acc^{tt} of y^e last paym^t to m^r Edw^a Maylen given mee by m^r Rob^t Elliott late Churchwarden of y^e North River p^{cinct} about y^e Brick Chappell there lately finished

Tes^t George Axe Cl vestry

North River	At a Meeting for y ^e sd P ^{cinct} Octob ^r
P ^{cinct}	js y ^e 16 th 1694
present	
Cap ^t James Ransone	M ^r Rich ^a Dudley
Cap ^t Sands Knowles	M ^r Rob ^t Elliott
M ^r Jn ^o Billups	Edm ^a Roberts
M ^r Amb: Dudley	Humphry Tomkins
M ^r W ^m Elliott	W ^m Tomkins
	Inhabitants

There are 135 Tythables this year

Ordered y^t James Hill Churchwarden Collect one pound of Tob^o ¶ pole of each Tythable in []^o above P^{cinct} & pay y^e Same to Charles Sanders who hath C^r for 14£ of tob^o ag^t next yeare

Ordered y^t y^e Churchwarden pay 1080£ of good Tob^o to Cap^t James Ransone who hath promised to give y^e P^{cinct} bills of Exchang for y^e Same at 10^s ¶ C^t That therewith there may be bought a Pulpett Cloath & Cushion for y^e Chappell belonging to y^e above p^{cinct} & y^t James Hill Churchwarden upon y^e Rec^{tt} of y^e sd Bills doe (wth y^e first Con-

veniency) send for y^e sd Ornam^t of a Green Colour wth these letters underwritten wrought on y^e Pulpett Cloath & y^t y^e sd Church warden discharg y^e sd Cap^t Ranjone in y^e behalfe of y^e above p^{cinct} upon y^e Receipt of y^e sd Bills of Exchang.

The Letters to be wrought on y^e Pulpett Cloath are

x K x
x N x P x

Ordered y^t y^e above Churchwarden Collect Eight pounds of Tob^o of Every Tythabl[] []son in y^e above p^{cinct} for y^e due ~~P~~formance of y^e aforesd Order

Tes^t George Axe Cl vestr Kingsto[]

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North River	At a Meeting for y ^e P ^{cinct} November
P ^{cinct}	y ^e [] 1695

present	Cap ^t James Ranjone
present	Cap ^t Sands Knowles & other y ^e Inhabitants
	M ^r Jn ^o Billups

Ordered y^t W^m Tomkins Churchwarden Collect two pounds of Tob^o ~~P~~ pole of each Tythable in y^e p^{cinct} & pay y^e Same to Charles Sanders for Cleaning y^e Chappell

Charles Sanders is to give y^e p^{cinct} Creditt for 54£ Tob^o y^e next yeare

Tes^t George Axe Cl vestr King []

North River	Att a Meeting for y ^e p ^{cinct} Octob ^r y ^e 4 th 1696
P ^{cinct}	P resent The Vestrymen & Consent of other y ^e Inhabitants

Ordered That M^r W^m Elliott Churchwarden Collect 1½£ tob^o of each Tythable in y^e above P^{cinct} [] & y^t he pay to m^r Shropshire 25£ tob^o & to Charles Sanders 168£ tob^o

Charles Sanders is to give y^e P^{cinct} Creditt for 22£ tob^o y^e next Yeare

Tes^t George Axe Cl vestry Kingstone

North River At y^e North River Chappell y^e 3^d day of
 ¶cinct Is Novembr 1700

The Churchwarden of y^e above p^cinct was y^e day & year
 aforesd Impowered to Collect one pound of Tobacco ¶ pole
 for to pay y^e Sextone Jn^o Lucas there being 262 Tythables
 in y^t P^cinct

Tes^t George Axe Cl vestry King[]
 To Humphry Tompkins
 Churchwarden

North River Att A Meting for North River ¶cinct
 ¶cinct Is October y^e 17th 1701

¶sent y^e Gent men of y^e Vestry

Ordred that y^e Church warden of y^e Above ¶cinct doe
 forthwith Collect one pound of Tobac^o: ¶ pole thro out []
 S^a ¶cinct for y^e payment of y^e Sexton Thomas Neele & for
 to pay John Luckus 38^{lb} of Tobac^o which was de[] him last
 yeare Thare being this yeare within y^e s^a ¶cinct 149 tithables

To Henry Bolton Churchwardon
 Tes^t Henry Bolton Cl^r vestry Ki ¶ish

North River Att A Meeting Att y^e North River Chapell
 ¶cinct Is November y^e 23^d 1702

	Capt: Ambros Dudly Vestry man
M ^r Richard Dudly	M ^r W ^m Elliott
¶sent M ^r James Ranson: Jur ^r	M ^r Robert Elliott
M ^r John Coott	M ^r W ^m Tomcins
M ^r Charles Jones	M ^r Humphre Tomeins
	In habitants

Ordered that y^e Church Wardin of y^e Afore S^a ¶cinct doe
 forth with Collect two pounds of tobacco ¶ pole throu out

y^e S^a P^cinct for y^e payment of Thomas Neele Sexton: thare being dew to him upon Areares 109^{lb} tobaco & this P^sent yeares Alowance 200^{lb} tob^o—which is in all 309^{lb} tob^o: thare being With in y^e S^a P^cinct this P^sent yeare 180 tithables which being Aseased 2^{lb} P^p pole Cuns to 360^{lb} tobaco The Remainder being 51^{lb} tob^o the S^a Church Wardin is to keepe in his hands & be Accountable for to y^e S^a P^cinct Next yeare

Ver^a: Cop^a: Test Henry Bolton Cl^r Vestry Kingsto P^pish To Henry Bolton Church Wardin
for North River P^cinct

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[] River Att A Meeting at y^e North River
[] ll s Chap[] ctob[] []

P ^s ent Lef ^t	Coll ^o James Ranson	
Cap ^t	Ambros Dudley	Vestry Men
M ^r W ^m	Elliott	
M ^r Robert Elliott		
M ^r Richard Dudley		
M ^r Humphry Tompcins		Inhabetants

Ordered that y^e P^sent Churchwarden do forth with Collect one pound of Tobacco P^p pole of Each titheable P^son within y^e S^a P^cinct for y^e payment of y^e Sexton there being with in y^e S^a P^cinct this P^sent yeare 171 Tithables

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r Vy

P^p

North River At A Meeting at y^e Chaple aforesd on
Chaple s the firs day of November 1704

P ^s ent Vestry M Coll James Ransone	M ^r W ^m Elliott
Cap ^t Ambros Dudley	M ^r Robert Elliott
	M ^r Richard Dudley
	M ^r W ^m Tompcins
	M ^r Thomas Peyton
	Inhabitants

It was this day Concluded on by y^e Gen^t Men above saide
for to Levey Tobacco for y^e Repairing of y^e Chaple afore sd
which was accordenly done in manner following

[]dered	lb Tobacco
To pay for the shingles being 11000 att 15 ^d ™ thousand	1650
To pay W ^m Creedle for Covering y ^e sd Chaple	1300
To pay for 11000 Nayles	385
To Sallery & Cask att 13 ™ cent	433
To pay Thomas Neele Sexton	200
	3968

The S^a Som of 3968^{lb} Tobacco being Leveied through y^e
S^a ™picnct Coms to 23^{lb} ™ pole there being in y^e S^a ™picnct this
™sent yeare on whome this is Levied 172 Tithables

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r Vestry Kingston ™pish

An accot of the Disposing of y ^e a bove S ^a : 3968 ^{lb} : of Tob ^o	
To Shingls & Nailes	1574
To More Nailes	123
To Wasting	136 in y ^e 2 H ^a sold to Cap ^t Lewes
To y ^e Carpenters Worck	1300
To Wastedg	168 in y ^e 2 H ^a p ^d y ^e Carpenter
To Sallery & Cask	433
To y ^e Sexton	200
To Stoped by y ^e Carpenter	
W ^m C ^r	018
	Debt ^r Side is 3968
	Cont ^r C ^r is 3964
	3952
To Credett to y ^e Church- warden	12
	3964

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vestry Ki[]

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North River Att A Meeting for y^e S^a ™picnct on y^e
™picnct s 24th of Novmber 1705

	Cap ^t Ambros Dudley	Vestry Man
	M ^r William Elliott	
	M ^r Robert Elliott	
¶sent	M ^r Richard Dudley	In Habitants
	M ^r James Ransone S ^r	
	M ^r William Tompcins	
	M ^r Thomas Peyton	

Ordered that Cap^t Ambros Dudley Church Worden doe forth with Collect 2^{1b} of Toba[] ¶ pole of Each Tithable ¶son within y^e S^d ¶cinct for y^e Satisfaction of y^e Sexton & to pay for 100 foot of Planck for y^e use of y^e Chapell; there being in y^e S^d ¶[] this ¶sent yeare 172 tithes which Cums to 344^{1b} Tobacco

Ordered To pay M ^r Neele Sexton	200
To pay for planck	100
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300	

Mor Credett due 44^{1b} Tob^o
Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vestry Kison ¶

North River

¶cinct 1706

Ordered that Coll James Ransone Churchwarden doe Collect One pound of Tobacco ¶ pole of Each tithable ¶son within ye sd ¶cinct for y^e paymen[] of y^e Sexton there being in y^e sd ¶cinct this year 176 Tiths which Cums to []

Credett Due to y^e ¶inct 20^{1b} Tob^o Ordered to pay M^r Neele 200^{1b}

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vestry Kingston ¶ish

North River

¶cinct ff 1707

Ordered that M^r Peter Ransone do forthwith Collect 1^{1b} Tob^o ¶ pole throug[] y^e said ¶scinct for y^e satesfaction of y^e Sexton there being in y^e S^d Pscinct this [] 166 Tiths ordered to pay M^r Th^o Neale Sexton 186^{1b} Tob^o

Credett due to M^r Neale 14^{1b} Tob^o

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vest^r Kings^s $\ddot{\text{P}}$ ish

North River

$\ddot{\text{P}}$ scinct 1708

Ordered that M^r William Elliott Churchwarden do Collect one pound of Tob^o $\ddot{\text{P}}$ p[] Through y^e S^a $\ddot{\text{P}}$ scinct for y^e Satesfaction of y^e Sexton there being in y^e S^a $\ddot{\text{P}}$ scinct this year 169 Tiths Ordered to pay M^r Th^o Neale Sexton 169th Tob^o

Credett due to M^r Neale 45th Tob^o

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r King^s $\ddot{\text{P}}$ ish

North River

$\ddot{\text{P}}$ scincts J^s 1709

Ordered that M^r Robert Elliott Churchwarden do Collect too pounds & hal[] of Tobacko $\ddot{\text{P}}$ pole of Each Tithable $\ddot{\text{P}}$ son within y^e S^a $\ddot{\text{P}}$ scincts for y^e Sattesfaction of y^e Sexton & other y^e $\ddot{\text{P}}$ ish Credetors there being within y^e S^a $\ddot{\text{P}}$ scincts y^a $\ddot{\text{P}}$ sent yeare 168 Tithables

lb Tob^o

To pay W ^m Smith for too Casements	200
To pay Th ^o Neale Sexton	200
To pay Th ^o Neale on a Reares	45

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445

Tes^t Henry Bolton Cl^r vest^r Kings^s $\ddot{\text{P}}$ ish

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[] Att a meeting on y^e 30th of September 1710
[] scinct

Cap^t Ambros Dudley

P^rsent M^r Peter Ransone
M^r Robert Elliott

Ordered That Cap^t Ambros Dudley Churchwarden do Collect one pound & halfe of Tobako of Each Tithable $\ddot{\text{P}}$ son within y^e S^a $\ddot{\text{P}}$ scinct: & To pay Mary Neale Sexton Too hundred pounds of Tobako & to keepe ye Rest in his Hands

tell next yeare there Being in y^e S^d ¶scincts y^s yeare 167 Tithables

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r Vest^r Kings^t pish

[]rth River ¶ at a meeting on y^e 13th day of September
[]ct 1711

¶sent	Capt Ambros Dudley	Vestrymen
	m ^r Robert Elliott	
	m ^r Peter Ransone	

Ordered that M^r Peter Ransone do Collect one pound & halfe of Tobacko ¶ pole of Each Tithable ¶son with In y^e Said ¶scinct & to pay William Tompkins Sexton Too hundred pounds of tobaco & to leve y^e Rest In William Tompkins hands tell next yeare there being in y^e Said ¶scinct this yeare 163 Tithables

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r Vest^r Kings^t ¶ish

[]orth River At a meeting on y^e 14th day of octo-
[]scinct s ber 1712 ¶sent Capt Ambros Dudley
& M^r Robert Elliott Vest Me

Ordered	lb Tob
to pay Cap ^t Thomas Todd for a box of Leed Sawder & glaſs	300
to pay M ^r Richard Jueson for mending y ^e Chapell windows	250
to pay Mr Tomkins for his trouble & aſſistance	100
to pay William Tomkins Sexton	200
	—
	850

Cor C^r

by Cap ^t Ambros Dudley	50 ^{lb} Tob ^o
by M ^r William Tomkins	44
	—
	94
	—
[]e whole Charge being 756 ^{lb} Tob ^o which	756

devided by 151 y^e number of tithables this yeare Coms to 5^{lb}
tob^o ♢ pole M^r Robert Elliott being Churchwarden [] is
year is ordered to Collect y^e Same

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r Vestry Kingst ♢ish

North River Att A meeting on y^e 30th day of September
Pscinct 1713 by y^e vestry Men of y^e S^a Pscinct

Ordered That Cap^t Ambros Dudley do Collect 2 pounds of
Tobacco ♢ pole of Each Tithable ♢son within y^e S^a Pscinct
there being in y^e S^a Pscinct this yeare 152 Tithables

lb Tob^o

To pay William Tomkins Sexton 200	
Tob ^o due to Cap ^t Dudley To pay Henry Bolton	118
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	318

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vest^r Kings ♢ish

North River Att A Meeting on y^e 7th day of February
Pscinct 17 14/15 presant Cap^t Ambros Dudley & M^r
Robert Elliott Ves^r M[]

Ordered that 2 pounds of Tobacco ♢ pole be Levied Through
the S^a Pscinct & to pay y^e Same as followeth in there b[] in
y^e S^a Pscinct 146 Tithables

To pay William Tompkins Sexton	200
To pay Cap ^t Ambros Dudley	14

Test Hen: Bolton Cl^r ves^r King ♢[]

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 W[] Tom Dr At a vestry he'd ye 29th of Sep-
 To old acco 78 tember 1715 at y^e Eastermost River
 To y^e pay^t 146 Church
 — Ordered that One pound of To-
 bako ♢ pole be Collected Through
 224

Credet $\frac{\$}{lb}$ sa ¹¹	200	the Nor[] River P'rscinct & y ^e
—	—	Same payd unto William Tompkins
Due to $\frac{\$}{lb}$ cinct	24	Sexton. There being [] S ^a $\frac{\$}{lb}$ cinct this present yeare 146 Tith- ables: Test ^s Henry Bolton Cl ^r ves- try Kings $\frac{\$}{lb}$ is[]
W ^m Tom D ^{tr} to old acco ^t	24	At a vestry held y ^e 2 ^d of october 1716 for y ^e Parish of Kingston
To y ^e years pay ^t	157	Ordered that one pound of To- bako $\frac{\$}{lb}$ pole be Collected through y ^e North Ri[] P'rscinct & the
By Cred ^t : y ^e years Sal ^r	200	Same payd unto William Tomp- kins Sexton there being in y ^e [] P'rscinct this present yeare 157 Tith- ables: Test ^t Henry Bolton Cl ^r ves- try Kings $\frac{\$}{lb}$ []
Due to W ^m Tom	19	
W ^m Tom De ^{tr}	312	At a meeting of y ^e North River $\frac{\$}{lb}$ cinct Vestry Men on y ^e 25 th of
Cred ^t $\frac{\$}{lb}$ Sal ^r	200	November 1717
C ^r $\frac{\$}{lb}$ last acco ^t	019	Ordered that two pounds of To- bako $\frac{\$}{lb}$ pole be Collected by Mr John Tabb Churchwar[] Through
W ^m Tom Det ^r to y ^e $\frac{\$}{lb}$ Scinct	219	y ^e Said $\frac{\$}{lb}$ cinct & y ^e Same payd un- to William Tompkins Sexton there
	93	be[] In y ^e S ^a $\frac{\$}{lb}$ cinct this pres- ent year 156 Tithables; Test ^t Henry Bolton Cl ^r ves ^t Ki ^s $\frac{\$}{lb}$ []
W ^m Tom Det ^r to To last yeare	149	At A Meetin ^g of y ^e Vestry Men
	93	of the North River $\frac{\$}{lb}$ Scinct on y ^e
	—	29 th of September 17[]
Credet $\frac{\$}{lb}$ Sal ^r	242	Ordered that Mr John Tabb
—	200	Church warden do Collect one pound of Tobako [] Pole of Each
Due to y ^e $\frac{\$}{lb}$ sci ^t	42	Tithable $\frac{\$}{lb}$ son Through y ^e S ^a $\frac{\$}{lb}$ cinct & to pay y ^e Same unto Wil-

liam Tompkins Sexton there being
in y^e S^a Pscinct this present year
149 Tithable[]

Test^t Henry Bolton
Cl^r vest^r King^s Pish

W ^m Tomp Det ^r	306	At A Meeting of y ^e Vestry Men
To last years acco ^t	42	of y ^e North River Pscinct on y ^e 29 th
	—	of 7ber 17[]
	348	Ordered that M ^r Robert El-
Cred by Sal ^r	200	liott Churchwarden do Collect two
	—	pounds of Tobak[] Pole of Each
Due to y ^e Pscinct	148	Tithable Pson through y ^e S ^a
		Pscinct & to pay y ^e Same unto
		Willia[] Tompkins Sexton there
		being in y ^e S ^a Pscinct this present
		yeare 153 Tithables
		Test ^t Henry Bolton
		Cl ^r vest ^r Kings P[]

W ^m Tomp Det ^r	154	At A Meeting of y ^e Vestry
To last years acco ^t	148	Men of y ^e North River Pscinct
	—	on y ^e 29 th of September 1720
C ^r P ^o Salery	302	Ordered that M ^r Robert El-
	200	liott Churchwarden do Collect
	—	one pound of Tobako P Pole
Due to y ^e Pscinct	102	of Each Tithable Pson through
		y ^e S ^a Pscinct & to pay y ^e Same
		to William Tompkins Sexton
		there being in y ^e S ^a PScinct this
		Psent yeare 154 Tithables
		Test ^t Henry Bolton
		Cl ^r Vest ^r Kings Pish

W ^m Tomp D ^r to	168	At a Meeting of y ^e Vestry
to last years acco ^t	102	Men of y ^e North River Pscinct
	—	on y ^e 3 ^d of October 172[]
	270	Ordered y ^t M ^r George Dudley

C ^r $\frac{1}{2}$ Salery	200	Church Warden do Collect one pound of Tobako [] Pole of Each Tithable $\frac{1}{2}$ son through y ^e S ^d $\frac{1}{2}$ cinct & to pay y ^e Same to William Tompkins Sexton there being in y ^e S ^d $\frac{1}{2}$ cinct this yeare 168 Tithables
Due to y ^e $\frac{1}{2}$ cinct	70	Test ^s Henry Bolton Cl ^r vest ^r Kingst $\frac{1}{2}$ ish
M ^r Tompkins D ^r to to old acco ^t	173	At a meeting of y ^e Vestry Men of y ^e North River $\frac{1}{2}$ cinct on y ^e 29 th of September 1722
C ^r $\frac{1}{2}$ Sal ^r	70	Ordered y ^t Cap ^t George Dudley Church Warden do Collect one pound of Tobacco $\frac{1}{2}$ pole of Each titheable $\frac{1}{2}$ son throug y ^e S ^d $\frac{1}{2}$ cinct & to pay y ^e Same to M ^r Sarah Tompkins Sexton there being in the Said $\frac{1}{2}$ cinct this yeare 173 Tithables
due to y ^e $\frac{1}{2}$ cinct	243	Test ^s Henry Bolton Cl ^r vest ^r Kingst $\frac{1}{2}$ i[]
M ^r Tompkins D ^r to To last Eares Acco ^t	200	At a Meeting of y ^e Vestry Men of y ^e North River $\frac{1}{2}$ sinct on ye 30 th : of September 1723
C ^r By y ^e years Sallery	43	Ordered that M ^r William Eliott Churchwarden do Collect one pound of Tobako $\frac{1}{2}$ pole of Each titheable $\frac{1}{2}$ son through y ^e S ^d $\frac{1}{2}$ sinct & to pay y ^e Same to M ^r Sarah Tompkins S[] There being in y ^e Said $\frac{1}{2}$ sinct this $\frac{1}{2}$ present yeare 177 Tithables
Due to y ^e $\frac{1}{2}$ sinct	177	Test ^s Henry Bolton Cl ^r Vestry Kingston $\frac{1}{2}$ ish
	220	
	020	

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[]pkins D ^r	198	Att A Meeting of y ^e vestry
[] Acco	20	Men of y ^e North River P ^{cinct}
	—	on y ^e 29 th of September 1724
	218	Ordered that M ^r William Eliot Churchwarden do Collect one
[] y ^e years	200	pound of Tobako P ^{ole} of Each
[]y	—	Tithable P ^{son} throw y ^e Said
[] ^o P ^{cinct}	18	P ^{cinct} & to pay y ^e Same to M ^{rs} Sarah Tompkins Sexton there
		Being in the Said P ^{cinct} this present Yeare 198 Tithables

Test^s Henry Bolton
Cl^r Vestry Kingst P^{ish}

1725

[]dered by y^e Gen^t Men of y^e vestry of North River P^{cinct} that one pound of Tobako P^{ole} be Collected Through The S^a P^{cinct} & to Receve of John Tompkins 18^{lb} of Tobako & with y^e Same to pay for y^e Lock for y^e Chapel dore And y^e Sextons according to Agreement

Test^t Henry Bolton Cl^r ves^r Kings P^{ish}

1726

[]dered by y^e Ge^t Me of y^e vestry of North River P^{cinct} that one pound of Tobacko P^{ole} be Collected throug[] The S^a P^{cinct} & To pay y^e Same To Richard Creedle Sexton. y^e Number of Tithables being 204

Test^s Henry Bolton Cl^r Vestr Kingston P^{ish}

(13)

Att a Vestry Held for Kingston Parrish the 29th day of Sep[]

The Gen^t present The Rev^d M^r Jn^o Blacknall, Cap^t George Dudley M^r Charles Debnom Gen^t: M^r: Jn^o Hayes M^r Jn^o Billups M[] Marlow Cap^t Thomas Hayes M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Robert Barnard Gen^t of the Vestry ordered

Tobacco

To The Revd M ^r Jn ^o Blacknall	16000 and Cask
To Ditto for Quitrents	00128
To Ditt ^o for Wine	00360
To Cap ^t Jn ^o Cleaton	00065
To Thomas Machen	00540
To Sarah Hunley for Elizabeth Ander- ton	00125
To Cap ^t Robert Barnard for Matt Tho ^s for a basterd Child	00900 Next year 7[]
To Sarah Barton	00300
To Thomas Longest for a parrish Child	00600
To Francis Lendall for oner powers	00400
To Ann Powers Sexton	00300
To Thos ^s : Putnom Sexton	00600
To Thomas Hill for a parrish Child & to Discharge y ^e Parrish	00700
To Thomas Willis for to Discharge his Leve	00060
To Larance Collins	00300
To Edward Wyatt Shirreff	00060
To Thomas Bridge Daughter	00300
To W ^m Brookes Cleark	01700 and Cask

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It is ordird by the above Vestry that M^r Charles Blacknall Collect of Each Tithable person within This Said parrish 22½ pounds of Tobacco for the Use of the Minester Cleark and other parrish Creadet, it is furder orderd that the above Said Collectter Receive of Each Tithable person in the Said parrish 20 pounds of Tobacco for the Churches now in building

orderd by the above Said Vistry that the Tobacco now In Cap^t Barnards Hands be put In Cask

Cap^t Rob^t Barnard M^r Hugh Gwyn Churchwardins
Tithables I[] parrish This Year 1148
22½ per pol[]

Test W^m Brookes C:1

(14)

Att a Vestry Held for Kingston Parrish the 6th day of April 1741

Pſen^t The Rev^d Jn^o Blacknall Cap^t George Dudley Cap^t Thos^s Hayes Cap^t Robert Barnard M^r W^m Armistead M^r Jn^o Hayes M^r Jn^o Billups M^r Hugh Gwyn M^r Charles Debnam

It was agreed on by the Said Gent^{:t} of the Vestry That M^r Moore and M^r W^m Rand do Take all The New Brick wall Down which They put Up and Build y^e Said wall up againe, with good Bricks & good Morter Workmanlike and to do it with all Experdition So that The whole Building is to be well performed By the Last Day of July Next

and The Said More and Rand to Repare all Damages the old Church hath Sustained by Them, and it is further agreed that M^r Rand Rep^r what is wanting to The old Church and to make a pew Each Side the Commuon Table and To bring his Acc^t to the Next Vestry, it further Agread That Thom^s: Dawson Serve as Cleark at The New Church Till Whitsontide Upon Liking and if approve^d on to Continue for one Thousand pounds of Tobacco p^r Yeare Cap^t Robert Barnard to Take Bond and Security of the above More and Rand

Test W^m Brookes C: V: K

1741 order of payments to be Made Next Year as fol-
lowes Vift

	Tobacco
To Thomas Michen for Thos ^s Putnom & wife	1000
To Thos ^s Daves for a Basterd Child	0500
To W ^m Brable for a basterd Child	0500
To Mary Magerson	0300
To Robert Reves	0600
To W ^m Mason	0500
To Thomas Capril	0300
To Thomas Longest	0400
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	4100

It is further agreed by the said gen^t to Leve Ten pounds

of Tobacco p^r Pole for the Church now in Reparing
Test W^m Brookes

15)

Att a Vestry Hild for Kingston parrish the 29th day of Octob[] 1741

The Gen^t of The Vistry present The Rev^d M^r Jn^o Blacknall Co^{lo} Henry Armistead Cap^t Rob^t Barnard M^r Jn^o: Bil lup[] M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Thomas Hayes M^r Jn^o Hayes Cap^t George Dudley M^r Charles Debnom M^r W^m Marlow

It was order^d by the Said Vestry *That *M^r

	Tobacco
To y ^e Rev ^d M ^r Jn ^o Blacknall	16000 & Cask
To Ditt ^o for Quitrents of The Gleabe land	00128
To Ditt ^o for wine for the Church	00360
To Sarah Burton	00400
To Francis Lendall for oner Powers	00400
To Elizabeth Turner	00300
To Geo: Elliott for Thomas putnom & wife	01000
To Matt. Thomas for a basterd Child	00700
To Ann Pallester Sexton	00300
To Ava ^r : Cantrell Sexton	00067
To Caleb Hunley for Ann power Sexton	00233
To Thomas Peak and Thomas Bridge	00300
To Thomas Dawson Cleark	00500
To Larance Collins	00300
To Cap ^t Jn ^o Cleaton	00255
To James Wyatt Sheriff	00080
To W ^m Brookes Cleark	01700 & Cask
To W ^m Brookes for Taring the Churches	01300
	24323 Depose ^r
To 8 per C ^t : on 18188 is	01455 211
To 4 p ^r C ^t : on 06135 is	00246
	26024 by 1166
	Tithables
	is 22½ p ^r Po[]

* These two words scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.

It was orderd that M^r Charles Blacknall be Collect^r for y^e above S^a Yeare

C^oll^o Henry Armistead and M^r Charles Debnam be Churc[] wardins for y^e said yeare

It Is further agreed on by the Said Gen^t of y^e Vistry, that M^r William Rand is to Repare all the Body of The old Cha[] and to Make New window frames, and Sashes, and to fill the said windowes With good Crown glass, and to ha[] all the old glass and other Stuff To his one Use and at the Trew performance of the Said work to Rec^e fifty [] nds Curant Cash for so doing

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(16)

Acc^t of What is ordred to be paid Next year 1743

	Ttobacco
To Richard Marchant for Thos: Putnam	600
To Robert Reves for Keeping y ^e Same Child	500
[] Jo Thos Daves	400
[] W ^m Brable	400
[] Jo Anna Hudgen for Keeping y ^e Same Ch ^a	700
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	2600

Cap^t Geo. Dudley

To pay Francis Lendall 10^s/ and Rich^a Davis 2/6

M^r W^m Armistead and Cap^t Ambro^{js} Dudley Churchwardins for the year 1743

Cap^t Ambro^{js} Dudley Collectter

Test W^m Brookes Cl: V.

(17)

Att A Vestry held for Kingston Parrish at y^e New Church the 4th day of October 1742

Gen^t of the Vestry present The Riv^a M^r Jn^o Blacknall Cap^t Geo: Dudley M^r W^m Elliott M^r John Hayes M^r John Billups M^r Hugh Gwyn M^r W^m Armistead Cap^t Ambro^{js} Dudley

ordered	Tobacco
To the Rev ^a : M ^r Jn ^o Blacknall	16000 & Cask
To Di ^{to} f Quitrents of y ^e Gleabe Land	00128
To Ditt ^e for Wine for y ^e Church	00360
To Ditt ^e for two Surples	01550
To Cap ^t Jn ^o Cleaton	00140
To Averilah Cantrill Sexton	00400
To Thomas Davis for a basterd Child	00500
To W ^m Brable for a basterd Child	00500
To Robert Reves for a parish Child	00600
To W ^m Mason for a basterd Child	00500
To Thomas Longest for a basterd Child	00400
To Henry putnam for Mary Magerson	00300
To Sarah Burton	00500
To Thomas Caprill	00389
To Thomas Dawson	01100 & Cask
To W ^m Marchant for W ^m Putnam	00050
To Elizabeth Turner	00300
To Ann Palester Sexton	00300
To Thomas Bridge for his Lame Daughter	00300
To Elizabeth Longest for James Longest	00800
To Doc ^t Roche acc ^t for James Longest	01434
To Thomas Mahen for Thomas Putnam	00800
To Francis Lendall for Powers Daughter	00400 Dep ^r 103
To Ann Hudgen for Keeping James Longests Child	00500
To Larance Collins	00300
To W ^m Brookes Cleark	01700 & Cask
To James Cray for one Leve over Charged	00032½
To Richard Daves one Leve over Charge	00032½
To Robert fliping over Charged	00032½

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(18)

Att a Vestry Hild for Kingstone Parrish the 12th Day of
october 1743

Gen^t present The Rev^a M^r Blacknall Minester Cap^t George

Dudley M^r. William Armistead Gent: M^r John Hayes M^r
 William Marlow M^r John Billups M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t
 Thomas Hayes

Orderd	Tobacco
To the Reverand M ^r Blacknall Minester	16000 and Cask
To Ditt ^e for quitrents	00128
To Ditt ^e for Wine	00360
To James Wyatt	00027
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	00018
To Robert Reves for a parrish Child	00500
To Thomas Daves for a Basterd Child	00400
To William Brable for a Basterd Child	00400
To Ann Hudgen for James Longest Child	00700
To M ^{rs} : Ann Armistead for Thomas Putnam	00600
To Sarah Burton	00500
To Francis Lendall for James Powers Daughter	00400
To Richard Hodges for one Leve over paid	00028
To Charles Hunley for one Leve over paid	00028
To Thomas Capril for his wife	00300
To Mary Bolton for William Putnam	00150
To Ellonor Huts	00200
To Thomas Bridge for his Lame Daughter	00300
To Elizabeth Turner	00400
To Larance Collins	00300
To W ^m Young	00400
To Thomas Willis	00500
To Richard Longest for a parrish Child	00450
To Honnor Whimpy	00126
To Thomas Hunley for Rose Michell	00350
To Ann Pallister Sexton	00300
To Widdow Cantrill Sexton	00300
To Thomas Dawson Cleark	01100 and Cask
To Doct ^r : Symmer	01794
To Caleb Hunley for Clearing y ^e Church yeard	00200
To James M ^c Collet	00163

To William Brookes Cleark Church & Vistry	01700 and Cask
	29122
10 p ^r C ^t on 19288 is	1928
6 p ^r C ^t on 9834	591
	31641
Cap ^t Gwyn Reade Cap ^t Kemp Plumer Chose Vestrymen M ^r W ^m Marlow Collect ^r and Churchwardin Cap ^t Kemp Plumer Churchward orderd for Thomas Hunley for Rose Michell Next year	500
To Easter Bohanon for Thomas Putnam Next year	300
Leve 27 p ^r pole Tithables 1176	
Test W ^m Brookes Cleark	

(19)
 Att a Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish y^e first day of
 []
 Gen^t. Men p^rsent the Rev^d John Blacknall Cap^t George
 Dudley Cap^t Ambross Dudley M^r John Hayes M^r John Bil-
 lup[] Cap^t Robert Barnard M^r William Marlow Vestrym[]

Tobacco	
To y ^e Rev ^d John Blacknall	16488 and Cask
To John Blache for a parish Child	00700
To John Matthes	00044
To Robert Reves	00300
To Sarah Burton	00300
To Elliner Dewplissey	00300
To Ann Palliser	00300
To Thomas Jarrott for Sarah Welch	00108
To Elizabeth Turner	00200

To Marcus Bendickson	00200
To Thomas Bridge's Daughter	00300
To Thomas Putnom Sexton	00250
To Thomas Hill for a parish Child	00700
To Thomas Longest for parish Child	00700 Next Year 600
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	00125
To Edward Wyatt	00170
To Larance Collins	00400
[] 16 Tithab ¹⁰⁰	
To Sarah Hunley	00150
To James powers Sexton	00300
Leves	
To Caleb Hunley	00100
To Doct ^r John Symer	03069
To Henry Putnom	00200
To William Brookes Clark C: V	01768 and Cask
To 18256 @ 8 pr C ^t is	01460 2
To 4 pr C ^t on 8919 is	00356 9

28998

Orderd That Cap^t Robert Barnard Receive of Each Tithable Person Within y^e above Said parish 26 pounds of Tobac[] for the Use of the minester and other parish Creadit The Said Barnard is orderd to Receive of Each of the above Said Tithables 25 pounds of Tobacco for the use of the New Church Furniture and Reparing the old Church

[]he Said Gen^tmen Hath further agreed with Mr. Jn^o: more & M^r W^m. Rand to ad a bulding to y^e North Side of the Eastermost Church of 25 foot Each way with a brick wall of the Same Thickness of y^e old wall with a gallirey and Three windos and a dore at the Eand and to shingle the Said Side of the

Church with g]] Shingles Laid on workman Like and to
have and Receive for so doing 200^{rs} Curant Cash

W^m Brooke []

(20) [Blank in MS.—C. G. C.]

(21)

At Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish y^r 30th day of
October 1744

Gent^s of the Vestry present the Rev^d Mr John Blacknall
Cap^t George Dudley Mr Charles Debnam Mr William Elliott
Mr John Billups M^r William Marlow Cap^t Gwyn Reade Cap^t
Thomas Hayes Cap^t Kemp Plumer

	Tobacco
To y ^r Rev ^d John Blacknall	16000 and Cask
To Ditt ^r for quitrents	00128
To Ditt ^r for Wine for the Church	00360
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	00060
To Thomas Hunley for Rose Michell 2 monthes 500 p ^r Yeare	83½
To Sarah Edwards for Rose Michell 10 months @ 500	00416½
To Francis Arunistead for Thomas Putnam	00300
To Thomas Machen for [*] Bridges	00015
To Ann Lendal for Powers Daughter	00400
To Richard Hunley for one Leve over paid Last year	00027
To Thomas Peake for Ditt ^r	00027
To John Forrest Jun ^r for Ditto for two Leves over paid	00054
To James Harper for Ditt ^r	00027
To Ann Collins	00300
To Thomas Bridge for his Daughter	00300
To Elizabeth Turner	00400
To Mary Creadle	00300
To Thomas Willis	00500

* This word is illegible. Probably it should be read Francis.—C. G. C.

To Charles Baker for having Captain wife	000000
To Capt. Turner for Captain Wife	000000
To Elizabth Hanes	000000
To Elizabeth Clark for Sarah Burton	000000
To Joyce Dugphrey	000000
To Mary Parsons for a parish Child	000000
To Thomas Longfellow for a parish Child	000000
To Thomas Danforth Clark	000000
To Richard Longfellow for a parish Child	000000
To Ann Pilkerton Burton	000000
To Wilson Central Service	000000
To George Elliott for Rollins Ladler	000000
To Robert Peters for a parish Child and to have the parish Hammer from the said Child but not to have his Tobacco till he has it Given the parish Bond and be- cause	000000
To Mr William Marlow for three Levee Co. 27 p Pole	00081
To William Brooks Clark of C. and Wetary 00700 and Clerk	

26320

Capt Kemp, Turner Collected Capt Kemp, Turner and Mr William Marlowe Churchwardens for the present Year	Tobakles
10 10 p C on 19288 is	1470
To 6 p C on 7641 is	1928 Leve 25½ 0458

27315

ordered to Sarah Edwards Next year for
Rose Michell 500th Tobacco

ordered that William Brooks Clark shall have the Draywester
yearly

Test William Brooks C[]

(22)

Att A Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish the 7th day of October 1745

Gen^t present the Rev^d Mr John Blacknall Cap^t Geo: Dudley
 Mr John Hayes Mr Charles Debnam Mr W^m Marlow Mr John
 Billups Cap^t Ambross Dudley Mr Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Thomas
 Hayes Cap^t Gwyn Reade Cap^t Kemp Plumer

Ordered	Tobacco
To the Rev ^d M ^r John Blacknall	16000 & Cask
To Ditt ^o for quitrents of the Gleabe Land	00128
To Ditt ^o for Wine	00360
To Cap ^t John Cleaton for the List of Tithables	00020
To Ann Pallester Sexton	00300
To Sarah Edwards for Keeping Rose Michell	00500
To Ann Lendall for Keeping oner powers	00400
To Richard Longest for Keeping a parrish Child	00500
To Thomas Willis	00500
To Ellener Hutt ^s	00200
To Averila Bridge	00300
To Mary Creadle	00300
To Elizabeth Turner	00400
To Margreat Neithcut	00400
To Averila Cantrell Sexton	00300
To Cap ^t Kemp Plumer for 4 Leves Runaway out y ^e Parrish	00101
To Thomas Dawson Cleark	01100 & Cask
To Doct John Symmer for good Bought of James McCollot for James Cleark and Re- becca Jonson	00656
To Doc ^t Symmer for Bording James Cleark and Rebecca Jonson and the Curing of the S ^a James' Clearkes Legg, and Curing and Keeping the Said Rebecca Jonson Cleare from all Charges that may hapen for Two years from this Date	Tithables 1196 @ 27 $\frac{3}{4}$ per Pole 05800

To Robert parrott	00500
To W ^m Brookes Cleark	01700 & Cask
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	30465 Dep ^r 125
To 10 p ^t : on 19288 is 1928 $\frac{3}{4}$	
To 6 per ^t on 11177 is 670 $\frac{3}{4}$	
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	30465

To Francis Singleton Widdow £ 4: 0^s: 0^d Cash to be paid by Cap^t Plumer out of a fine In his one hands and one In Joseph Davis hands, and the Said Capt plumer is to pay to M^r William Tabb 12/6 out of the above Said fines for five Bushalls of wheat The Said Cap^t Kemp Plumer Is appointed Collector for this present Year 1745

ordered By the Said gent^t men the Churchwardins for this parrish do meet at the gleabe house of this parrish at any time appointed to agree with workmen to Repare the Said gleabe house M^r John Hayes and Cap^t Gwyn Reade is appointed Church wardines for this presen year

Test W^m Brookes C V K

(23)

Att A Vestry held for Kingston parish the 13th day of October 1746

Gen^t present the Rev^a M^r Blacknall Cap^t George Dudley M^r William Elliott M^r John Billups M^r John Hayes M^r Charles Debnam M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Thos^s Hayes M^r William Marlow M^r William Armistead Cap^t Gwyn Reade Cap^t Kemp Plumer

Orderd

To the Rev ^a M ^r Blacknall	16000 & Cask
To Ditto for wine	00360
To Ditto for quitrents	00128
To Cap ^t John Clayton	00085
To Ann Palister Sexton	00300
To Rose Mitchel	00500

To Onner Powers	00400
To Tho ^s Willis	00500
To Rob ^t Spencer for a parish Child	00500
To Ellener Huts	00300
To Avereler Bridge	00300
To Mary Creedle	00400
To Elizabeth Turner	00400
To Averela Cantril	00300
To Thomas Dawson	01100 & Cask
To Doc ^t John Symer for Rob ^t Parrott	00690
Francis Singleton	00500
To the Rev ^a Mr Blacknall for Plastring the gleebe house	00534
To Lucy Sumers	00200
To Cap ^t Plumer for three levies gon Out the County	00082 $\frac{1}{4}$
To Abr [:] Marchant for keeping of Johnsons Child till crismus	00300
To 10 p ^r C ^t on 19288 is	01928 $\frac{3}{4}$
To 6 p ^r C ^t on 6291 is	00377
To William Brookes Cleark	01700 & Cask
	27885

To Richard Davis in cash 3/6
 To Cap^t Plumer to pay Tho^s Dawson for a
 dyal & post 7/6 1251 Titha^{b1}
 M^r Charles Blacknall to pay Sans
 Smith £5 || 17^s || 10^d For Work don Dep^r : 262
 to the Gleebe house To Rich^a Hunley 15/-
 Cap^t George Dudley p^d the Ballance of his
 Acc^t for Shingles to M^r Charles Blacknall £ 1 || 8^s || 6^d
 M^r William Armistead Colec^t
 M^r William Armistead Major Ambrose Dudley

(24)

Att a Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish y^e 26th. day of
 October 1747

The Vistry Men present The Revd: M^r John Blacknall
 Cap^t: George Dudley M^r John Hayes M^r John Billups Cap^t
 Kemp Plumer Maj^r Ambros Dudley Cap^t Thomas Hayes

orderd:	Tobacc
To the Revd M ^r John Blacknall	16000 and Cask
To Ditt ^o for wine for the	
Church	00360
To Ditt ^o for quitrents for the	
gleabe Land	00128
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	00197
To Thomas Machen	00077
To M ^r James Hill for Taking	
Joyce a Child of Thos ^s Plises	
of The Parrish	00300
M ^r John Hayes to pay M ^r	
Thomas Booth 14/4	
M ^r John Hayes to pay Thomas	
Dawson 5/	
To Ann Collins for Keeping	
Thomas plises Child	00450
To Abroham Rice for Keeping	
a nother of plises Children	00450
To John Bush for Keeping of	
Plises Children	00050
To Ann Collins and Abroham	
Rice for Keeping two of	
Thomas Pises Children next	
Yeare 500 ^{lb} Tobacco for	
Each Child	
To Abroham Marchant for	
Jonsons Child	00400
To Francis Singleton Widdo	00800
To the widdo Cantrill for	
Keeping Jane Hunley &	
Sexton	01100
M ^r John Hayes to pay Wil-	

liam Brookes Jun ^r :	15/8
Major Ambroſs Dudley to pay to W ^m Brookes Jun ^r	4/4
To Cap ^t Thomas Hayes for Keeping oner powers	00600
To Elloner Hutt ^s	00300
To Ann Pallester	00300
To Thomas Willies	00500
To Averilia Bridge	00300
To Thomas Dawson Cleark	01200 and Cask
To Rose Michell	00500 1287
To Mary Creadle	00400 Tithables
To Elizabeth Turner	00400 at 23 ^{lb} pr Pole
To Lucy Sumers	00200 Depoeter 91
To Margret Nethercut	00400
To William Brookes for Vetry and Church	01700 and Cask
Maj ^r Ambroſs Dudley to y ^e	—
Rev ^d : M ^r Blacknall 20/ 10 pr C ^t of 19288 is 6 p ^r C ^t on 7822 is	27112 M ^r Charles Debnom 19283/4 and M ^r John Billups 04693/4 Churchwardins

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(25)

Att A Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish the 20th day of
October 1748

Gen^t Men prest Cap^t George Dudley M^r: William Armistead
M^r William Elliott M^r John Billups M^r William Marlow M^r
John Hayes M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Kemp Plumer

To M ^{rs} : Ann Blacknall	8141½ And Cask
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	0234
To Thomas Machen	0054
To Doc ^t John Symer 1:9:9 @ 14 per ^t :	0212
To M ^r Robert Billups	0500
To M ^r Robert Reade	0500
To M ^r : John Billups	0060

To Richard Hunley Jun ^r for Rackes	0120
To Ann Palister	0300
To Ann Collins for a parrish Child	0500
To Abraham Marchant for Johnsons Child	0400
To Abraham Rice for D ^o :	0500
To George Hudgons for Jane hunley To be paid by wilkinson Hunley for ten months @ 800 ^{1b} of Tobacco pr ^r year or In money 14 p ^r C ^t	
To Oner Powers	0600
To Elener Huttis	0500
To Averilah Bridge	0300
To Thomas Dawson Cleark	1200 And Cask
To Rose Michall	0500
To Mary Creedle	0400
To Elizabeth Beard	0300
To Lucy Sumers	0300
To Margret Neithcut	0400
To Con Sadler	0400
To John Hudgen	0200
To Thomas Caprill	0600
To Averileah Contrill Sexton	0300
To William Brookes	1700 and Cask

To 10 p ^r C ^t on 11041 is	19221 1303 Tithables
To 6 p ^r C ^t on 8180 is	1104 Deposeter 33

19221 20815

M^r W^m Elliott Elliott Collect^r.

M^r W^m: Elliott and M^r Hugh Gwyn Churchwardins this year
Test W^m Brookes C

(26)

Att A Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish y^e 10th day of
October 1749

Gent^t. of the Vestry Present Cap^t George Dudley M^r. Wil-

liam Marlow M^r John Hayes Cap^t Thos^s: Hayes M^r John Billups M^r William Elliott M^r Charles Debnom M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Gwyn Maj^o Ambross Dudley

To The Rev ^a M ^r John Dickson	3113 And Cask
To Tho ^s Dawson Cleark	1200 And Cask
To Ann Palister	0300
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	0076½
To Thomas Machen	0027
To Thomas Dawson	0150
To Joseph Davis	0114
To Avarila Bridge to be paid to Anthony Degge Jun ^r :	0300
To Avarila Cantrell Sexton	0300
To M ^r William Marlow for a Child of Tho ^s Plises And to Keepe the parrish Harmless after	0500
To Aroham Rice for Keeping a parish Child	0300
To Cap ^t Thomas Hayes of oner Powers	1000
To Elliner Hutt ^s	0500
To Rose Michall	0500
To Lucy Sumers	0300
To Margrett Neithercut	0400
To John Hudgen for a parish Child Keep from the 23 ^d day of Sep ^r att 750 ^{lb} p ^r year	0370
To Lanley Billups for a parish Child And to Keep the Parrish Harnless	0500
To William Brable for a parish Child W ^m Brable to have Next year 750	0600
To Mary Longest	0370
To Cap ^t Tho ^s Hayes	0075
To Ann Lendall	0500
To William Brookes CC & Vestry	1700 and Cask
	12825½

10 p ^r C ^t on 6013 is	601½ 1340 Tithables
6 p ^r C ^t on 6812 is	408¾ Deposeter 236
	13834½
	13835½

Cap^t Thomas Hayes And M^r William Marlow is Churchwardins

M^r: William Marlow Collect^r

The Gent^t of the Vistrey agread to Leve 3rd of Tobacco per pole

Test William Brookes CC

(27)

At a Vestry Hild at the Parrish of Kingston in the County of Gloucester y^e 24th of october 1749

Present

Thomas Hayes	
William Marlow	Churchwardins
George Dudley	
John Hayes	
Charles Debnom	
William Elliott	
Ambroſs Dudley	

It was agreed that y^e Reve^d M^r Richard Locke Should be Rec^a as minester of the afore Said Parrish

Test William Brookes C V

Att a Vestry hild for Kingston Parrish the 26th day of June 1750

Gent^men present The Rever^d: M^r Richard Locke Minester Cap^t George Dudley M^r W^m Armistead M^r. W^m Marlow M^r W^m Ellio[] Cap^t Tho^s. Hayes M^r John Hayes M^r Charles Debnom Cap^t Gwyn Reade M^r Hugh Gwyn

It Was Orderd by the ABove Said Gent^t. that Robert Reade do Truely Repare the Gleabe house not Disturbing the Rev^d M^r Locke No more then he Cant Covenantley help

Test W^m Brookes C V

(28)

Att Vestry Hild for Kingstone Parrish y^e first day of
October 1750

Present The Rev^d Richard Lock Minester

Cap^t Geo: Dudley M^r: William Armistead Cap^t Tho^s
Hayes M^r John Billups Cap^t Gwyn Reade Cap^t Kemp Plumer
M^r John Hayes

To the Riv^d M^r Lock Minester for his

Ballance	9956 and Cask
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	0018
To Thomas Dawson Cleark	1200 and Cask
To Ann Pallester Sexton	0400
To William Brable for Keeping a parish Child	0750
To John Hudgen for Keeping A par- rish Child	0750
To M ^r Charles Blacknall By Acc ^t And Quitrents	0977
To Geo: Hedges for Jane Hunley	
Last years Ballance	0348
To Richard Hunley Jun ^r	0060
To John Tompkins for Keeping a par- rish Child	0200
To Sarah Hunley for Keeping Rose Michall	0500
To Cap ^t Thomas Hayes for Oner Powers	1000
To Cap ^t Tho ^s Hayes for Last yers arears	0125
To Joseph King for work don to y ^e Church Lock	0033½
To Doc ^r Peter Whiting for Matthew Thomas	0717
To Lucy Somers	0300
To Charles Backer for Jane Hunley	0800
To Averilea Bridge	0300

To Abroham Rice for a parrish Child	0300
To Elliner Huttis	0500
To Margret Neithercut	0400
To William Brookes	1700 and Cask
To Ann Lendal	0500
To John Gordin Sexton	0400
To Mary Longest	0300
To Markuss Deyonger	0200
To Alexander King for Keeping a parrish Child	1000 1364 Tithables
To Joseph Sowell for Wine	0223½ 19¼ per pole
To the Rev ^a Mr ^r Lock	0033½ Dep ^{er} 142½
To William parkes Estate for a Booke	0167
To 10 p ^r Cent ^t on 12856 is	1285½
To 6 p ^r Sent on 11297 is	677¾

26115½

M^r William Armistead And Cap^t Thomas Hayes Churchwardins

Cap^t Thomas Hayes Collect^r:

Tent W^m Brookes Clea: Vestry

(29)

At A Vestry Held for Kingston parish the 10th of Decemb^r
1750

Present

M ^r William armistead	Cap ^t Gwyn Read
M ^r John Billups	M ^r Charles Debnam
Capt George Dudley	Capt Kemp Plummer
M ^r John Hayes	M ^r W ^m Tabb
M ^r William Elliott	

The Rev'd M^r John Dixon is Rec'd as Minister of Kingston parish And his Time to go on from the 25th of Octob^r Last Order'd That the Rev'd M^r John Dixon have power to Employ Workmen To fit up the out Houses at the Glebe and to build A Stable 16 x 20 plank'd above and the Charge to be Submitted to the Vestry

Order'd that John Davis Shall Serve as Clerk of the old Church in Kingston Parish from the Laying the Parish Levy the first Day of Octob^r Last

Order'd that John Davis Recieve the Vestry Book of Mr^r W^m Brooks

Sin'd John Dixon Jun^r Minist[]

At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish this 8th Day of April 1751

Gen^t pre^t The Rev'd Mr^r John Dixon Mr^r William Armistead Cap^t George Dudly Mr^r John Billups Mr^r John Hayes Cap^t Gwyn Read Mr^r W^m Tabb

Order'd that the Church Wardens have power to agree with workmen to make a thorough Repair of the Dwelling hous at the Glebe and to add Such Conveniences as they Shall think Necessary there and on the plantation

Ordered that John Davis Shall demand and Recieve all Books and other papers Relating to the parish affairs Now in possestion of W^m Brooks Late Clerk of the Vestry

Order'd that Mr^r William Armistead Do Send to England for Church ornam^{ts} Books &c. to the Value of fifty Pounds Sterling

Sin'd John Dixon Jun^r Minist[]

(30)

At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish the 13th of May 1751

Present The Rev'd Mr ^r John Dixon Cleg ^m .	
Mr ^r W ^m Armistead	Mr ^r John Hayes
Cap ^t Georg Dudley	Cap ^t Gwyn Read
Mr ^r John Billups	Cap ^t Kemp Plummer
Mr ^r Hugh Gwyn	Gen ^t men of y ^e Vestry Mr ^r W ^m Tabb

Order'd that Mr^r William Armistead Gent^t Chu^b War^a be impowr'd To take up fifty Pounds Curr^t money on Iterest and apply the Same to purchase Corn to be Distributed among the

At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish the 13th of May 1791
 Present The Rvrd Mr John Dixon (Clerg^r)
 { Mr Wm Armistead Mr John Hayes
 Capt George Dudley Capt Griva Read } Govt men of this Vestry
 { Mr John Billups Capt Samp Plummer
 Mr Hugh Grinn Mr Wm Sall }
 Ordered that Mr William Armistead Govt Ch^t Mr^r be impanni
 to take up fifty £ Bonds Cert^r money on Forest and apply the sum
 to purchase Corn to be Distributed among the poor of this Parish at
 the Discretion of Church Wardens John Dixon Jun^r Minister

Kingston Parish At a Vestry held for this Parish this 13th of May 1791
 Present The Rvrd Mr John Dixon (Clerg^r)
 Church { Mr William Armistead Mr John Hayes
 Wardens { Capt Thomas Hayes Mr John Billups } Vestry men Present
 { Mr George Dudley Mr Chas Dobnam }
 { Mr John Read Mr Wm Abbott }
 Ordered that Mr Rob^t Read be allowed
 For 1 Kitchen £ 13 0 0 0
 1 Garden 400 foot a fad 5 0 0 0
 To a Little house 2 5 0 0
 To Boards & Nigles 0 10 0 0
 To 34 pains of Glass 1 5 0 0
 for Glazing panelyc 0 11 1
 To 34 pains glass aff 0 11 1
 for going to York 0 12 6
 To White washing 0 17 3
 Remending the Church & Ching 6 0
 £ 12 7 7

John Dixon Jun^r Minister

poor of this Parish at the Discretion of the Church Wardens
John Dixon Jun^r Minister

Kingstone At a Vestry held for this Parish this 14th of
Parish Is Aug^t 1751
The Rever'd Mr John Dixon Clergm.

Church Wardens	M ^r William Armistead Cap ^t Thomas Hayes M ^r George Dudley M ^r Gwyn Read	M ^r John Hayes M ^r John Billups M ^r Cha ^s Debnam M ^r W ^m Elliott	Vestry men Present
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Ordered that Mr Rob^t Read be allow'd for A

Kitchen	£13 0 0
A Garden 400 foot @ /3 ^d	5 0 0
To a Little house	2 5 0
To boards & Shigles	0 10 0
To 34 Pains of Glaff @ /9 ^d	1 5 6
for Glazing puttey &c	
To 34 pains glass @ /4 ^d	0 11 4
for going to York	0 12 6
To White washing	0 17 3
To mending the Church Lock & hinges	6 0
	£24 7 7

John Dixon Jun^r. Minister

(31) Kingstone Parish [s] At a Vestry held for this Parish Octobr. 7th 1751

Gentm of the Vestry present

The Reve'd M ^r John Dixon Min:	Cap ^t George Dudly
Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	Cap ^t Gwyn Read
M ^r John Hayes	M ^r Hugh Gwyn
M ^r John Billups	M ^r William Tabb

Order'd

To the Rever'd Mr: John Dixon Min 1600 & Cask .. 640

To D ^o for wine	00450	
To D ^o for quitrents	00128	
To Cap ^t John Clayton	00090	
To M ^r Thomas Boswell	00063	
To the Estate of m ^r W ^m Marlow Dec'd	00218	
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	01200 & cask	48
To Samuel Tompkins	00019 $\frac{1}{4}$	
To Charles Blacknall for Richard Brooks	00800	
To John Davis Clerk	01700 & cask	68
To Ann pallister Sexton	00400	
To John Gordin Sexton	00400	756
To Lucy Summars	00300	
To Ann Pallister for keeping two Orphan Children	00600	
To W ^m brable for keeping a pish Child & Due to Cap ^t Hayes	00248	
To John Hudgen for Keeping a pish Child	00750	
To Elisabeth Longest for keeping a pish Child	00400	
To Charles Baker for keeping Jane Hunley	00800	
To Sarah Hunley for keeping Rose Michel	00500	
To Cap ^t Thomas Hayes for keeping Oner powers	01000	1354 Tithables
To Averillo Bridge	00300	
To Ellener Huts	00500	Depos ^t 33
To Ann Lendal	00500	
To Richard Hunley for keeping Judah Cray	00500	
To John Bridg	00200	
To Elisabeth Evans widdow & four Children	01200	
To be left in the Church wardens hands to be Sold To Discharge a bond of fifty pounds Currancy on Inter st	08400	

To be left in the Church wardns hands		
hands to be Sold to pay the Ballance		
of John Peters's acc ^t £63 4 4	10114	
to be left in the Church wardns hands to		
be Sold to pay John Peters £56 15 for		
building the out houses on the glebe 09080		
	03411	Col ^{rs} part
To 4 Pr C ^t on 18900 allow'd for Cask		
Comes to	00756	
		61027

(32)

Order'd that the twelve pound nineteen Shillings and Seven pence in M^r William Armisteads hands be paid To John peters on Demand

M^r William Armistead & Capt^t. Thomas Hayes appointed Church wardens for the year Ensueing

Order'd that Cap't Thomas Hayes Do Stand Col^r and that the S^d Cap^t Thomas Hayes Do Recieve of Each Tithable person within this S^d pish 45¼ pounds of good tobacco To Satisfie the Several Creditors there is this year 1354 tithables in this parish

At a Vestry held for Kingston parrish the 10th of Aug^t. 1752

Gent ^m	Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	
Present	M ^r John Billups	M ^r Hugh Gwyn
	M ^r John Hayes	Cap ^t Kemp Plummer
	Cap ^t Gwyn Read	M ^r William Tabb

Ordered that William Brownley the son of William Brounley be levy free

Ordered that M^r John Tompkins Jun^r do make a thorough repair of the Old Church and bring his Charge to the Vestry for laying our Next parish levy

(33)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston parish Octo^r 16th 1752

Present	The rever'd M ^r John Dixon Minister M ^r William Armistead Cap ^t Thomas Hayes M ^r John Hayes	M ^r John Billups Cap ^t Gwyn Read Cap ^t Kemp Plummer
Gent ^m Vestry		

Ordered that acct wth Cap^t Thos^s Hayes be Setl^d
& y^e Ballance be p^d to the P^oish from him 26||14||3

Order'd to the rever'd M ^r Dixon To D ^o 4 p ^r C ^t allow'd by Law To Do. 4 p ^r C ^t Not levied last year To D ^o .. for quitrents Cap ^t Thomas Hayes to pay y ^e rever'd M ^r Dixon's acct £13 2 To Thomas Dawson Clerk To John Davis To Ann Palister Sexton To Mary Gordin Sexton To Cap ^t John Clayton That Cap ^t Thos ^s Hayes Do pay M ^r Chas ^s Blacknals acct. £3 0 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ That Cap ^t Hayes do pay Rob ^t Hunleys acct 1 5 To Richard Hunley for Judith Cray To Mary Gordin for Keeping a Child of Griffins To Rob ^t Jervis for Keeping a Child for D. ^o . To Mijs Elisabeth Green for a levy overpaid To M ^r Richard bentley for a levy over- paid To John Hugen for keeping a P ^o ish	lb Tobacco 16000 & Cask 640 640 128 1200 & Cask 300 75 100 1215 Tithables 45 $\frac{1}{4}$ 45 $\frac{1}{4}$
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Child & Rich ^a Brooks	700
To the widdow Evans & four Children	1200
To Cap ^t Hayes for Seven pish levies overpaid	316 $\frac{3}{4}$
To Ann Palister for keeping two Children	600
To Elisabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hunley	400 Total 30557 $\frac{3}{4}$
To George Hudgen for Keeping Averillo Bridg 4 mont ^s	100 6 p ^r C ^t is 1833
To Averillo Bridg	200 4 p ^r C ^t
To Elenor Hutt ^s	500 for cask 756
To John Bridg	200
To Lucy Summers	300 33146
To Rose Michel	500 28 p ^r . Pole
To Ann Lendal	500 874 Depos ^r
To Cap ^t Tho ^s Hayes for Keeping oner Powers	1000
To John Davis for keeping a Pish Child	700
To Mary Longest	300
To Christian Owen	300
To Elisabeth Bridg widdow	300
To Sarah Worden for keeping Fran ^a .	
Bridges	400
To Elisabeth Dawson for keeping Christ ^a owen	300
	30557 $\frac{3}{4}$

(34)

Orderd that Sarah Bajsets Negroe woman be levy free

Cap^t Thomas Hayes to pay the widow M^cMekins £3||5^sOrderd that Cap^t Kemp Plummer & M^r William Tabb Do stand Church wardens for the year EnsueingThat Cap^t Kemp Plumer Do receive 28 pounds of tobacco of Each Tithable person in this Pish to Satisfie the Several Creditors

Sign'd by
the rever'd M^r John Dixon Minis^r

Kingstone Parrish £s

At a Vestry held for this parish Octo^r 22 1753

Present The Reverend Mr John Dixon Minister Cap^t Kemp
Plummer M^r William Tabb Chu^b wardens Cap^t George Dudley
Cap^t Gwyn Reade M^r John Billups M^r John Hayes Cap^t
Thomas Hayes M Charles Debnam

Ordered that tobacco be levied as follows

For the rever'd M ^r John Dixon	16000	& cask
For D ^o for Shrinkage 4 p ^r C ^t	00640	
D ^o for Quitrents	128	
For Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200	& cask
For John Davis D ^o & Clerk of y ^e Vestry	1700	& cask
For Ann Pallister	0400	
For Mary Gordin	0400	
For Cap ^t Clayton Clr. of the County	0198	
For M ^r Boswell Sheriff	0108	
For the reverend M ^r John		
Dixon's acc ^t	£4 19	0792
For John Tompkins's acc ^t	7 9	1192
For Doc ^r Asselins acc ^t for		
Parrot	3 11 9	0588
For Thomas Rice		0500
For Cap ^t Kemp Plummer his Acc ^t		0122
For the widow Evans & four Children		1200
For Ann pallister & four Children		0600
For Elisabeth Baker for Jean Hunley		0400
For Averill Bridge		0300
For John Riply for D ^o		0100
For Elenor Huts		0500
For John Bridge		0200
		27268
(35)		
For Lucy Summers		27268
For Ann Lendar		300
		500

For Cap ^t Thomas Hayes for Oner Powers	250	
For Ann Lendal for D ^o	750	
For George Hudgen for Keeping a Child	700	
For Mary Longest	300	
For Christian Owen	300	
For Elisabeth Bridge	300	
For the Church wardens to pay for Orna- ments to be sent for By the Rever'd John Dixon if Not already sent for	10000	
for Robert Parrot for a levy over p ^d	27½	
For Sarah wooden for D ^o	27½	
For the Church wardens to pay for two Vestry Houses 12 x 16 Fram'd & plai- ster'd and floored a Chimney & one win- dow with Eight lights Rob ^t parot to build one @ £7	2240	Tithables
For John Hudgen	500	
		1365
4 p ^r Ct on 18900	43463	34¼ lb
	756	Tobacco
		p ^r pole
6 p ^r Ct for Collecting	44219	
	2653	
		46872

Ordered That Mr William Tabb & Capt Kemp Plummer
Be Continued Church Wardens And that Mr William Tabb
Do receive 34¼ pounds of Tobacco of Each Tithable Person
in this Parish

Test John Dixon Jun^r Minis^r

(36)

Know all men by These Presents that We William Tabb
& John Dixon Junior are held and firmly Bound unto the
Gent^m of the Vestry of Kingstone Parish in the Sum of Ninety
two Thousand Six hundred & fourty two pounds of Tobacco
to be paid to The Said Vestrymen —— or their successors

to the which Payment well and truly to be made we bind our
Selves & Each of us our Heirs Executors and administrators
Jointly and Severally firmly by these presents Sealed with
our Seals and Dated this 22^d Day of Octo^r 1753

Whereas the above bound William Tabb is appointed by the Vestry of the parish of Kingston in the County of Gloucester to Collect and receive the Levy of the Said parish as the Same is aforesaid on the 22^d Day of October 1753. Now if the Said William Tabb Will Duly Collect pay and satisfie unto the several parish Creditors all the Tobacco for them respectively Levied then this obligation to be Void otherwise to be in full Force

Sealed & Deliver'd
In the presents of W^m Tabb
Francis Armistead John Dixon Jun^r
Hum'y Billups

At a Vestry held for Kingston Pish y^e 29 of May 1754
Pres^t M^r William Tabb Church warden, M^r William Armis-
tead, M^r John Hayes M^r Thomas Hayes M^r Gwyn Reade,
M^r Charles Debnam M^r Hugh Gwyn

Ordered that the Churchwardens Do pay m^r William Armitstead as much Tobacco as will pay his publick Dues to be deducted out of the Tobacco levied for Church ornaments

Order'd that the Church wardens have power to agree with workmen to repair the New Church as they think proper

Sign'd by Mr William Tabb Chh: wardn

(37) Kingston is At a Vestry held for this Parish Nov^r: 26.
parish 1754

The Reverend Mr John Dixon Minister
Mr William Tabb Cap^t Kemp Plummer Church Warden []
Gentm Present Mr William Armistead Cap^t George Dudley
Mr John Hayes Mr Charles Debnam Cap^t
Gwyn Reade

Ordered that Tobacco be Levied as follows	
To the Reverd ^d . M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & Cask
To D ^o for Shrinkage 4 pr C ^t	640
To Ditto for Quitrents	128
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200
To John Davis Ditto & Clerk of Vestry	1700
To Ann Pallister Sexton	400
To Cap ^t John Clayton Clark of y ^e County	99
To Mary Gordin Sexton	400
To the widdow Evans & four Children	1200
To Ann Pallister for Keeping two Children	0600
To Elisabeth Baker for keeping Jean Hundley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To Elenor Huts	500
To John Bridge	200
To Lucy Summers	300
To Elisabeth Thomas for Keeping Oner Powers	1000
To George Hudgen for Keeping a Child	700
To Mary Longest widdow	500
To Christian Owen	400
To Elisabeth Bridge	300
To John Hudgen for Keeping a Child to be bound to him & his wife & to Clear the parish of it	1200
To Ann Pallister for Cleaning y ^e Church of the Whitewashing	100
To Sarah Merchant for Keeping her mother	500
To Thomas Jarrett	500
To Henry Knight for tobacco over paid Last year	205½
To Antony Degge jun ^r jun ^r for tobacco over paid Last Levy	68½
To M ^r Rob ^t Dalgelish for 15/ C ^r to Mary Bolton	120
(38)	
To the Reverend M ^r Dixon the Ballance of his acc ^t	1588
To John Rispos for Keeping Dorothy Jarrett	

seven months & half	0300
To M ^r William Tabb for a bason for the New Church	32
To Thomas Forrest for Keeping a Child of Lettitia Ashburys Seven weeks	150
To Richard Davis for two horse Blocks two horse racks a Door Case & Lintel & a Stand for Bason	1040
Robert Parret allow'd £1 more for building the Vestry House at the New Church	160
To John Tompkins Jun ^r for D ^o at the old Church	160
To 4 P ^r C ^t on 18900 for Cask	756
To William Tompkins Sen ^r for work on the New Church	1120
	—
	35067
6 P ^r C.t. on the whole for Collecting is 2104	2104
	—
	37171

1379 Tithables 62 Depos^r

Ordered that Cap^t. Gwyn Reade and M^r Charles Blacknall Do Stand Church wardens for the Ensuing year and y^t Cap^t Gwyn Reade Do Recieve of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 27 pounds of Tobacco to satisifie several creditors

M^r Charles Blacknall and M^r John Armistead Chosen Vestry men in the room of Major Ambrose Dudley and M^r. John Billups Deceas'd

Order'd that Samuel Willis be Levy free

M^r John Hayes this Day resigned his place of vestry man
Cap^t George Dudley this Day resigned his place of vestry man

memorand^m That Thomas Forrest Keep the Child of Lettitia Ashburys till her return at the rate of 800^{lb} of Tobacco P^r Annum

Sign'd by the revernd M^r
John Dixon Minister

(39)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish at the Old Church
July y^e 18th 1755

The Rever'd Mr. John Dixon Minis^r

Pres ^t .	Cap ^{tn} Gwyn Reade	M ^r Charles Blacknall
	Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	M ^r Charles Debnam
	Cap ^t . Kemp Plummer	M ^r William Tabb

Ordered That the Ballance in M^r W^m Tabbs hands of
27||6||4¼ be paid to M^r William Armistead for the Church
ornaments &c and that the Acc^t be Settled at the Laying the
Next Levv

Mem^a That there has been paid to Mr Wm Armistead 5411^{1/2}^bs
Toba^c to be accounted for at 12/3^{1/2} P^r C^t

Ordered that the Church wardens have Power to agree with workmen to repair the old Church as they think proper

Order'd that the rever'd M^r Dixon be Not Liable to Any Charge on acc^t of the Negroe boys runing away that belongs to the parish

Testes John Dixon Jun^r Minis^r

(40)

Kingston Sc At a Vestry held for this Pish the 3^a of
Parrish Novem^r 1755

Present

The Revernd Mr John Dixon Minis^r

Cap^t Thomas Hayes M^r John Hayes

Capt. Kemp Plummer Mr. Hugh Gwyn

M^r Charles Debnam

Ordered That Toba° be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rever nd M ^r Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To D ^o for Shrinkage	.640
To D ^o for Quitrents	.128
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200 & cask
To John Davis D ^o & Clerk of Vestry	1700 & cask

To Ann Pallister Sexton	.400
To Capt ^a John Clayton Cl.k y ^e County	.117
To Mary Gordin Sexton	400
To Mary Evans widdow and four Children	1200
To Ann Pallister for keeping two Children	600
To Elisabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To Elenor Huts	500
To John Bridge	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To George Hudgen for keeping a Child	700
To Mary Longest widdow	500
To Christian owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridg	300
To Sarah Merchant for keeping her Mother	500
To Thomas Jarrett	500
To M ^r Matthew Whiting for Levies overpaid	61
To John Rispajs for keeping Dorothy Jarrett	500
To Robert Reeves for keeping Oner powers	1000
To Thomas Forrest for keeping a Child of Ashberries	800
To the Sheriff	36
To Hannah fordom Widdow	300
To M ^r Charles Blacknall	15
To John Callis	60
	30057

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Bro ^t over	
To Robert Hudgen Senier	30057
To Robert Reade for Cloathing John Bolton	258
To Robert Dalgleish	360
To Robert Bridge	56
To John Huell for Levies over paid Last year	300
To M ^r William Armistead the Ballance of his acc ^t £22 11 9 @ 2 ^d $\frac{3}{4}$	68 $\frac{1}{2}$
To The Rever nd M ^r John Dixon for Acc ^t	2710 $\frac{1}{2}$

£9 13 7	1161½
To Doct ^r John Symmer in part of Boltons	
Acc ^t £15 @ 2 ^d	1800
To D ^o . for Henry Carter £15 @ 2 ^d	1800
To 4 P ^{dr} C ^t . on 18900 for Cask	756

	39327
To 6 P ^{dr} C ^t on the whole for Collecting	2359

	41686

Ordered That M^r Charles Blacknall And
Capt^t Gwyn Reade Continue Church Wardens 1426 Tithables
for the Ensueing year 24 Depo^r.

Ordered That M^r Charles Blacknall Do 29½ Each
Recieve of Each Tithable person in this Parrish Tithab[]
29½ Pounds Tobacco to Satisfie The
Severall Creditors

Ordered that Ann Singletons Negro wench be Levy free
John Dixon Rect^r.

(42)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish the 10th Day of
May 1756

The reverend M ^r John Dixon Minis ^r	
Gent ^m Pres ^t	Cap ^t Gwyn Reade
	M ^r Charles Blacknall Churchwardens
	M ^r John Hayes
	M ^r Hugh Gwyn
	Capt ^t . Kemp Plummer
	M ^r William Tabb

Carried by a Majority that a Vestry man be Now Chosen
in the room of M^r William Armistead Deceas'd

Cap^ta William Plummer is Chosen to Succeed him as Ves-
tryman

Agreed that the reverend M^r Dixon May Saw into Plank
or otherwise Dispose of the trees felled on the Glebe for
Necessary Clearing Provided he Sell No board Timber

John Dixon. Jun^r. Rect^r.

(43)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parrish the 22^d of Novr In
the year of our Lord 1756

Prest. The Reverend M^r John Dixon Minister
M^r Charles Blacknall Capt. Gwyn Church wardens
M^r William Tabb, M^r Charles Debnam Cap^t. Kemp
Plummer M^r John Hayes

Ordered That Toba^o be Levied as follows

To The revern'd M ^r Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To D ^o . for Shrinkage	640
To D ^o for Quitrents	128
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200 & cask
To John Davis for D ^o & Clark of Vestry	1700 & cask
To Ann Pallister Sexton	400
To Mary Gordan Sexton	400
To Capt. John Clayton Cl ^k . of y ^e County	454
To M ^r Charles Tomkies Sheriff	72
To Elizabeth Evans & Two Children	800
To Ann Pallister for Keeping Two Children 3 months	150
To Elizabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hundley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To Elenor Huts	500
To John Bridge	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To George Hudgen for Keeping a Child	700
To Deborah Edwards for Keeping Christian Owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridge	300
To Sarah Merchant for Keeping her Mother	500
To Thomas Jarrett for Keeping his father	400
To Lewis Peed for Keeping Onner Powers	1000
To John Hudgen for Keeping y ^e Child of Ash Berries	583
To Thomas Forrest for Keeping y ^e Said Child two Months	117

To Richard Davis for clearing the New Church yard	100
To Hannah Fordom Widdow	300
To Robert Bridge	300
To George Mullens for taking Thomas Longest a Child of Mary Longest off y ^e P ^r ish, & y ^e Child to be bound to him	800
To Izbel Parrett Widdow	300
Carried over	30194
(44)	
To Acc ^t Brought over	30194
For the reverend M ^r John Dixon his his Acc ^t . £10 13 2 to be paid in Toba ^o at 15/ P ^r C ^t	1420
To M ^r Charles Blacknall for Acc ^t .	277 $\frac{3}{4}$
To Joseph King to be Lodged in the Church wardens hands till he has Complied with his agreem ^t . Viz £15 0 0 to be Deducted for an acc ^t paid M ^r Jameson P ^r Charles Blacknall £4 8 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ £10 11 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	1408
To be Left in the Church wardens hands till ordered out by the Vestry for Repairs to the old Church	4000
6 p ^r C ^t . on the whole for Collecting is	2283
4 p ^r C ^t . on 18900 for Cask is 756	756
	40338

Cap^t. Kemp Plummer & M^r Hugh Gwyn Appointed Church-
wardens for the Ensuing year

Order'd that Cap^t. Kemp Plummer Do receive of Each
Tithable Person in this Parish 28 pounds of Toba^o To Satis-
fie The Several Creditors

Cap^t. William Plummer having Taken The Oaths according
to law is admitted Vestryman

Ordered That the Church wardens Do Endeavour to Pro-
cure a Deed for Land Sufficient for a Church yard at Each

Church from the Proprietors of the Land adjoining the Churches

1451 Tithab[] 28th p^r Tith[] Depoſt^r 290

Sign'd By John Dixon Jun^r Rect^r

(45)

I A B do ſwear that I will be faithfull & bear true Allegiance to his Majesty King George the ſecond ſo help me god

I A B do ſwear that I do from my heart Abhor detest and abjure as Impious & hereticall that Damnable doctrine and Position that Princes excommunicated or deprived by the Pope or any Authority of the ſee of Rome may be deposed or Murthered by their Subjects or any other whatſoever & I do declare that no Forreign Prince Person Prelate ſtate or Potentate hath or ought to have any Jurisdiction Power Superiority Preminence or Authority Ecclesiastical or Spiritual in this Realm ſo help me God

I A B do truly and ſincerely acknowledge Profefs teſtifie and declare in my conſcience before God and the world that our Sovereign Lord King George the ſecond is Lawfull and Rightfull King of this Realm & of all other his Majesty's dominions and Countrys thereunto belonging and I do Solēmnly & Sincerely declare that I do believe in my Conſcience that the Person Pretended to be Prince of Wales during the life of the late King James and ſince his deceafe Pretending to be and taking upon himſelf the ſtyle and Title of King of England by the name of James the Third or of Scotland by the name of James the Eighth or the ſtyle & title of King of Great Britain hath not any right or title whatſoever to the Crown of this realm or any other the Dominions thereunto belonging & I do renounce refufe & Abjure any Allegiance or Obedience to him and I do ſwear that I will bear faith and true Allegiance to his Majesty King George the ſecond & him will Defend to the Utmoſt of my power ag^t all traiterous

according to their said conference & agreement of
aforesaid words without any contradiction intended or otherwise
of several such said persons & doth make this recognition & acknowledge-
ment & declaration renunciation & protestation
wholly and entirely against the said gathering & is
done by them in the presence of the said

John Armistead, witness to this instrument that we do give
and subscribe to the same & it is the instrument of the said
uppermost & lowermost & all other subscribers the undersigned
from the said County of York what follows.

William Plummer
John Armistead

We the Subscribers will be conformable to ye Doctrine
& Discipline of the Church of England as it is now by Law
established.

Nov 29 1760 }
Thos Hayes
Kemp Plummer
Charles Blashall
Wm Plummer
Jn' Dayton
Wm Hayes
John Armistead
Thos Smith
Kemp Whitinge
Wm Armistead
Chas Hughes
Seth Miles
Tho Hayes

Conspiracies and Attempts whatsoever which shall be made against his Person Crown & Dignity & I will do my Utmost Endeavour to disclose & make Known to his Majesty and his Successors all treasons and traitorous Conspiracys which I shall Know to be agst him or any of them & I do faithfully promise to the Utmost of my power to Support Maintain & defend the succession of the Crown agst him the s^d James and all other Persons whatsoever as the same by an act Intituled an act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better Securing the rights and Liberties of the Subject is & stands Limited to the Princeſ Sophia Electoreſ and Dutcheſ Dowager of Hannover & the heirs of her body being Protestants and all these things I do truly and Sincerely Acknowledge according to the Express words by me Spoken and (46) according to the Plain and Common Sense & Understanding of the same words without any Equivocation mental evation or Secret reservation whatsoever and I do make this recognition Acknoledgement Abjuration renunciation & promise heartily willingly and truly upon the true faith of a Christian

So help me God

We whose names are here under Written do declare that we do believe that there is not any transubstantiation in the Sacrament of the Lords Supper or in the Elements of bread & wine at or after the Consecration thereof by any Person whatsoever

William Plummer

1757 October 24th

John Armistead

We the Subscribers will be conformable to y^e Doctrine & Discipline of the Church of England as it is now by Law established

Tho^s Hayes

Kemp Plummer

Charles Blacknall

Nov^r 29. 1760

W^m Plummer

Jn^o Peyton

W^m Hayes
 John Armistead
 Tho^s: Smith
 Kemp Whitinge
 W^m Armistead
 Edw^d: Hughes
 Jn^o Willis
 Tho^s Hayes
 Geo: Dudley
 Gabriel Hughes

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(48)
 Kingston At a vestry Held for this parrish the
 Parrish 11th Day of April 1757
 Present The Reverend Mr John Dixon Minister
 Gent^m Cap^t George Dudley Mr William Tabb
 Present Cap^t. Gwyn Reade Mr Charles Debnam
 M^r John Hayes M^r Charles Blacknall

This Day M^r Jefferson Dunbar Laid an acc^t before the
 Vestry of £68||1||8½ it is agreed by the Said vestry That his
 work Materials &c. is worth No more than £40. which the
 Said vestry agreed to give him but he refused to take it

To End the Dispute the vestry and the Said Dunbar have
 agreed that Alexander Sanders Shall value the work and
 both Parties Shall abide by his Decision

John Dixon Ju^r. Rec^r

This day M^r Sanders & M^r Dunbarr met and M^r Sanders
 Measured the work &c & agreed that the work &c as ♭
 acc^t is worth £51||12||7½

May 2nd 1757

Chas: Blacknall

(49)
 Kingston At a Vestry Held for this parish Octob^r 24th
 Pijsh 1757
 Present The Reverend M^r John Dixon Minister M^r Hugh
 Gwyn Cap^t George Dudley Cap^t Gwyn Reade M^r Charles
 Debnam M^r William Tabb M^r Charles Blacknall

Order'd Thatt Tobacco be Levied & paid as follows Viz.	
To the rever'd M ^r John Dixon Minis ^r	16000 & cask
To D ^o for Shrinkage	640
To D ^o for Quitrents	128
To Thomas Dawson Clk	1200 & cask
To John Davis D ^o & Cl ^k of Vestry	1700 & cask
To Ann Palister Sexton	400
To Mary Gordan Sexton	400
To Cap ^t Clayton Cl ^k County	48
To Elizabeth Evans & two Children	800
To Ann palisters heirs for keeping Jn ^o Morgan	250
To Elizabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hundley	400
To Elizabeth Baker for her Self	200
To Avarilla Bride	400
To Eleanor Huts	500
To John Bridge to be paid to M ^r Charles Blacknall	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To George Hudgen for Keeping a Child	700
To Christian Owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widdow	300
To Sarah Merchant for her Mother	500
To Capt Thomas Hayes for Keeping Hon. powers	1000
To John Davis for keeping Ashbury's Child	450
To Hannah Fordam	300
To Robert Bridge	300
To Isabella Parrot	300
To Sarah White	500
To Mary Bridge Widdow	500
To Thomas Lewis Constable for services	258
To Sarah Parrot for keeping a bastard Child 5 months	167
To John Rispeſſ for keeping Dorothy Jarrett	400
	29841
(50) Brought over	29841
To John Davis for keeping Church Ornam ^{ts}	200

To Easter Hundley for Ann Craufords Children	200
To Cap ^t Kemp Plummer for keeping a bastard Child	800
To the Churchwardens to Enable them to pay £24 12 7½ Being the Ballance Due to Jefferson Dunbar	4000
To the Rever'd Mr John Dixon for Wine and Land tax £3 4 6 ^d	461
To D ^o for paling 500 foot @ 3 ^d £6 5 0	892
To Thomas Dawson for keeping plate. &c.	200
To Ann crafard for her Children	300
	36894
To 4. pr. C ^t . on 18900 is	756
	37650
To 6 ♂ C ^t . for collecting	2259
	39909

Mr Hugh Gwyn & Cap^t. Kemp Plummer continued Churchwardens

Ordered That Mr Hugh Gwyn Do recieve of Each Tithable person in this parish 27 lbs Toba^o. the Number According to the List being 1481 78 Depos^r.

Mr John Armistead took the oaths appointed By Law and is Admitted a Vestryman

Ordered That that the collector pay Cap^t Thomas Hayes £1||5^s for the Negro boy in tobacco @ 14/ which comes to 178½

Cap^t John Peyton is appointed a Vestryman in the room of Mr William Elliott Deceas'd

John Dixon Jun^r Rect^r

(51)
Parish At a Vestry Held for this Parish Octob^r. 23rd.
Kingston 1758

Present

The Rever^a M^r John Dixon Minister

M^r Hugh Gwyn C. Kemp Plummer Churchwardens M^r John Hayes M^r Charles Debnam Capt. Thomas Hayes M^r Charles Blacknall C. Gwyn Reade M^r William Tabb Capt William Plummer Capt. John Peyton

Ordered that Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To the Revd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & Cask
To Ditto for shrinkage	640
To Ditto for Quittrents	128
To Ditto for Wine and tax on the Glebe Land	502
To M ^r John Clayton Clk of the County	18
To Thomas Dawson Cl ^k	1200 & cask
To John Davis for Ditto & Cl ^k of Vestry	1700 & cask
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To Mary Gordan Sexton of the old Church	400
To Elizabeth Evans & two Children	800
To Catharine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Catharine Marwood for Keeping her Mother	200
To Avarilla Bridge	400
To Elenor Huts	500
To John Bridge	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To Hudgen for Keeping a Lame Child	700
To Christian owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widdow	300
To Sarah Merchant for Keeping her Mother to be paid to M ^r Charles Blacknall	500
To Capt ^a Thomas Hayes for Keeping Oner Powers	1000
To William Brounley for Keeping Joseph Ash- bury	450
To Hannah Fordam Widdow	300
To John Bridge for Keeping & Burying His Father	300
To Mary Bridge Widdow	200
To John Rispass for Keeping Dorothy Jarrett	400

To John Davis for Keeping Church ornaments	200
To W ^m Angel for Keeping a bastard Child to be paid to Mr. Cha ^s Blacknall	800
To Robert Parrett to take Gregory Crauford off the parish	1000
To D ^o . for Keeping a Child of Ann Craufords	500
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	31038

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To Accompt Brought over	31038
To Sarah Bassett for her self	300
To Cap ^t Gwyn Reade for Cash & plank for Rob ^t . Bridges Coffin	27
To William Chandler for Keeping a Bastard Child 8 months	400
To M ^r William Hayes for John Bolton his acc ^t of 10 5 4 to be paid in tobacco @ 2 ^d per	1232
To Sarah Lovel	300
To 4 p ^r C ^t on 18900	756
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To 6 p ^r C ^t . for Collecting	34053
	2043
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	36096

Ordered That Cap^t William Plummer & Cap^t. John Peyton
Do stand Church wardens for the Ensuing year

Ordered That Cap^t. John Peyton Do receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 25^{lb} Tobacco to Satisfie the several Creditors

Ordered that the Collector Do pay the Rever'd M^r John Dixon five Shillings & four pence out of the Depos^r & the Remains to Thomas Dawson

M^r John Hayes Did this Day Resign his place of Vestryman
Ordered that M^r William Hayes & M^r Humphry Toye,
Tabb is this Day Chosen vestrymen in the room of Cap^t
George Dudley Deceased & M^r John Hayes Resign'd

(53)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish The 5th Day of November in the year 1759

Prefent. The Rever'd Mr John Dixon Minister

Capt. William Plummer, Capt. John Peyton Church wardens
 Maj^r Kemp Plummer M^r William Tabb M^r Charles Blacknall
 M^r Charles Debnam M^r William Hayes Cap^t. Thomas Hayes

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon	16000 & Cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage	640
To Ditto for Quittrents and Acco ^t	546
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200 & Cask
To John Davis Ditto & Cl ^k of Vestry	1700 & Cask
To Isabel Parrot Sexton of the New Church	400
To Mary Gordan Sexton of the old ditto	400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate	200
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To Eleanor Huts Widow	500
To John Bridge	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To Robert Hall for Keeping Hugh Brooks	600
To Christian Owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	300
To Ann Brookes for Keeping Mary Bolton	500
To Thomas Hayes for keeping & Burying oner powers	783½
To William Brounley for Keeping Joseph Ashberry	450
To Hannah fordam Widow	300
To Mary Bridge Widow	200
To Robert Sadler for Keeping Dorothy Jarrett	300
To John Davis for Keeping Church Ornam ^{ts} .	200
To William Angel for Keeping a bastard Child	400
To Mary Flippen for Keeping Ann Craufords Child	450

To Sarah Basset	300
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Brought over 28269½	
To Aaron Hudgen for Keeping a bastard Child	600
To W ^m Hayes for boarding John Bolton &	
Curing his Sore foot	1704
To Sarah Lovel Widow	400
To Tho ^s Lewis Constable for sundry Services	54
To Robert Hunley for a Coffin for Dorothy	
Jarrett	60
To Charles Blacknall for sundry Lawyers fees	540
To Joseph King for taring and painting the	
Vestry House and making fires therein Dur-	
ing the Winter season	356
To Thomas Hayes for burying of Moses Owen	285
and taking Care of his Widow in her sickness	
To W ^m Plummer for two barryls Corn for	
Ann owen	150
To W ^m Brounley for a Levy over paid last year	25
To John Davis for making a fire in the vestry	
house at the Lower Church	100
To Elizabeth Evens and two Children	800
To Susannah Sadler	300
To Robert Sadler for Burying Dorothy Jarrett	60
To Ann owen to be paid to Tho ^s Hayes for Rent	200
To Susannah Driver and two Children	200
To Thomas Peak for keeping a bastard Child	
2½ months at £7 ⁹d Annum	175
To the Rever'd M ^r Dixon for building a Quar-	
ter and Corn House on the Glebe	1341
4 ⁹d C ^t . on 18900	756
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6 ⁹d C ^t . for Collecting	2182
	36375½
	2182
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Tithables 1450	38557½

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Ordered That W^m Plummer and John Peyton Gent^m be continued Churchwardens the Ensueing year and that W^m Plummer Gen^t be appointed to collect of Each Tithable Person in this Parish twenty six Pounds & half of Tobacco to satisfy the several creditors

Ordered That the Parish be divided into the usual Precincts and that such Persons as the Church wardens Name in each precinct be Procescioners

Ordered That John Peyton Gent^m do pay to the Rev'd Mr Dixon the ballance which now remains in his hands of the Last Collection

Ordered That a well built Quarter Twenty Feet long & sixteen feet wide; and a corn Houſe Sixteen Feet long & twelve Feet wide be built at the Glebe by the Rev'd Mr Dixon for Which he is to be allow'd one Thousand five hundred pounds of Tobacco

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At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 29th 1760

Present The Rev'd Mr John Dixon Minister

Capt. William Plummer Capt John Peyton Church Wardens
Capt. Thomas Hayes, Maj^r Kemp Plummer M^r Charles Blacknall M^r William Hayes Gent^m of the Vestry

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To the reverend Mr John Dixon Minis ^r	16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for Quitrents and accompt for Wine	528
To Capt John Clayton Clerk of the County	18
To Tho ^s . Dawson Clerk	1200 & cask
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To Isabella Parrot Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis Ditto of the old Church	400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate	200
To Catharine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400

To Judith Machen for Keeping Eleanor Huts	500
To Thomas Peak for John Bridge	400
To Rich ^a Summers for Keeping his mother 2 months in sickness	150
To Rob ^t Reaves for keeping Lucy summers some time & burying her	150
To Rob ^t Hall for keeping Hugh Brookes	600
To Christian owen	400
To Elizabeth Bride Widow	500
To Ann Brookes for keeping Mary Bolton	500
To William Brownley for Keeping Joseph Ashbury	450
To Hannah Fordam widow	300
To John Davis for keeping Church orments	200
To W ^m Angel for keeping a bastard Child, To be paid to Langley Billups	400
To Mary Flippin for keeping Ann Craufords Child	450
To Sarah Bassett	300
To Sarah Lovel Widow	400
To Isabella Parrott for Keeping the upper Vestry House in good order	100
To John Davis Keeping the Lower ditto in good order	100
To Elizabeth Evans two Hundred & her son to be bound out	200
To Susannah Sadler for keeping Her lame Daughter	300
To Ann owen to be paid to Capt. Thomas Hayes for Rent	200

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To Acc ^t brought over	
To the Rev'd John Dixon a farther allowance for the quarter	286
To accompt not levied last year for the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon	86

To Susannah Driver for Keeping her two Children	300
To Rob ^t Hunley for making a Coffin for Eleanor Huts	60
To Rob ^t Hall for taking Hugh Brookes off the Parish	600
To 4 pr C ^t . on 18900 allow'd for cask	756
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	30574
To 6 pr C ^t . for Collecting	1834
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	32408

Ordered that Capt, William Hayes and Capt, Thomas Hayes do stand Church wardens for the Ensuueing year

Ordered That Cap^t William Hayes do receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 22½ pounds of Tobacco to Satisfy the Several creditors there being 1481 Tithables in the list there remaining 914 to be accounted for by the Collector

This Day Capt Gwyn Read by Letter to the Gent^m of vestry Does resign his place of vestryman

Ordered Cap^t. Thomas Smith M^r Kemp Whiting and M^r George Dudley be chosen vestrymen, in the room of M^r Charles Debnam Deceas'd M^r Hump^r. Toye Tabb Deceas'd and Capt Gwyn Reade Resign'd

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John Davis

(58)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 9th 1761

The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Minister, Cap^t Tho^s Hayes Church Warden Maj^r Kemp Plummer M^r Charles Blacknall, M^r Kemp Whiting M^r W^m Plummer M^r Tho^s Smith M^r John Armistead

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz.

To the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for quirrents & acc ^t	720

To Cap ^t John Clayton Cl ^k of the County	54
To John Davis Cl ^k of the lower Church & vestry	1700
& cask	
To Tho ^s Dawson Cl ^k of the upper Church	1200
& cask	
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the upper Church	400
To John Davis ditto of the old Church	400
To Tho ^s Dawson for Keeping the Plate	200
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To John Owen for his Sister Christian Owen & burying her	400
To Elizabeth Bridge widow	500
To Mary Bolton	500
To William Brownley for keeping Joseph Ash- bery	350
To hannah Fordom Widow	300
To John Davis for Keeping Church ornaments	200
To Mary Flippen for Keeping ann Craufords Child	400
To Sarah Bassett	300
To John Davis for keeping the lower vestry House	100
To Tho ^s . Dawson	48
To Isabella Parrett for keeping the upper ves ^y House	100
To Susanna Sadler for keeping her lame Daugh ^r	300
To Ann Owen Widow to be paid to Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	200
To Elizabeth Green widow	500
To Joanna Barnett widow & Children	300
To Mary Baxter widow	500
To W ^m Angel for keeping a bastard Child	400
 (59)	
To Henry Powel for looking after a sick man & burying him	300
To John Bush	250

To 4 ⠼ C ^t . on 18900 for cask	756
To be left in the hands of the Church wardens towards Repairing the Glebe house & building a room 16 x 20 with brick and a Brick Chimney	5000
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	33818
To 6 ⠼ C ^t . on the whole for collecting	2029
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	35847

Ordered That the Church wardens have Power to agree with workmen to build a gallery in the old Church

Ordered That Cap^t. Thomas Hayes & Cap^t. William Hayes
Do Stand Church wardens for the Ensuing year

Ordered that Capt^t. Thomas Hayes do receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 24½ lb Tobacco to satisfy the several Creditors there being 1486 tithables on the list

Memorand^m That M^r Hugh Gwyn By Message to the vestry Resigns his Place of of vestryman which if he confirms under his hand M^r Edward Hughes is agreed to be Chosen in his room

Witness John Davis Cl^k V.

(60)

At a vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 1st. 1762

Present, The Reverend Mr John Dixon Minister Capt.
Tho^s Hayes Capt William Hayes Churchwardens, Maj.'r Kemp
Plummer Mr William Tabb Capt. William Plummer, Capt.
John Peyton Capt. Thomas Smith Mr Kemp Whiting Mr
George Dudley

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz.

To the Rever'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To D ^o for Shrinkage	640
To D ^o for Quitrents and acc ^t	645
To Capt John Clayton Cl ^k of the Court	18
To John Davis Cl ^k of the Lower Church & Vestry	1700 & cask

To Thomas Dawson Clerk of the upper Church	1200	& cask
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the upper Church	400	
To John Davis sexton of the Lower Church	400	
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate	200	
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400	
To Averilla Bridge	400	
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	500	
To Mary Bolton	600	
To Hannah	400	
To John Davis for Keeping Church ornam ^{ts}		
Cushions &c	200	
To Sarah Bassett Widow	300	
To John Davis for making fires in the Lower vestry house	100	
To Isabell Parret for d ^o of the upper vestry house	100	
To Ann Owen, to be paid to Capt. Thos Hayes for rent	200	
To Susanna Sadler for Keeping her lame Daughter	300	
To Elizabeth Green Widow	500	
To Joanna Barnet and Children	300	
To Mary Baxter Widow	500	
To William Angel for taking the Child off the Parish that he has formerly kept	200	
To John Bush	250	
To Susannah Sadler for keeping Thos Thur- stons Child	200	
To Rob ^t Hudgen	400	

27053

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To Acc ^t Brought up	27053
To Maj ^r Kem Plummer for a levy over paid last year	24½
To Cap ^t W ^m Plummer for a levy over Charged	26½
To Matthew Gayle for two Levies over	

charged	49
To Aaron Hudgen for keeping a Child 7 months	350
To Capt ^r . W ^m Hayes to Ballance of His acc ^t .	676
To be left in the Churchwardens hands to pay M ^r Jefferson Dunbar for Building on the Glebe &c. and Gallery in the Church	10000
To Augustine Degge for Levies over paid last year	122½
To 4 ₣ Ct. on 18900 allow'd for cask	756
To 6 ₣ C ^t for Collecting	*39063½
	2343
	41406½

1424 Tithable[] 208 Deposit after J. Deg[] is paid
400 for W^m ange[]

Ordered That Cap^t Thomas Smith and M^r Kemp Whiting do Stand Churchwardens for the ensuing year

Ordered That Capt^t Tho^s Smith Do receive of each Tithable Person in this Parish 29½ lb^s. of Tobacco to satisfy the several Criditors

Ordered That the collector Do pay Joseph Degge for W^m
Angel 400 lb Tobacco out of the Depos^r and acc^t for the rest
at the laying of our next levy

Ordered that Mr Edward Hughes & Mr James Ranjone
Be chosen Vestrymen in the room of Mr Charles Blacknall
and Mr John Armistead Deceas'd

ordered That Moses Hudgen and Richard Machen be levy
free

Witness John Davis

* The original addition was 39063½. Later the two last digits were overwritten with a 5 and a 7 respectively, and the total then read 39057½; but no corresponding change was made in the final total, 41406½.—C. G. C.

(62)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 28th 1763
 Present, The Rever'd M^r John Dixon Minister

Capt. Thomas Smith, M^r Kemp Whiting Church wardens,
 Capt William Hayes, Capt. John Peyton, Maj,r Kemp Plummer,
 M^r William Tabb, M^r George Dudley, Capt Thomas Hayes, M^r James Ransone.

Ordered That Toba^o be Levied as follows Viz.

To the Rev'd M ^r . John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for quitrence and acc ^t	630
To Capt. John Clayton Cl ^k of y ^r County Court	18
To John Davis Cl ^k of the Lower Church & vestry	1700 & cask
To Thos ^s Dawson d ^o of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis d ^o of the old Church	400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate	200
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton	600
To Hannah Fordom	400
To John Davis for keeping Church ornam ^{ts}	
Cushions &c	200
To Sarah Bassett	400
To Isabella Parrett for making fires in the	
upper vestry house	100
To John Davis for ditto of the lower vestry	
House	100
To Ann Owen to be paid to Capt. Thomas	
Hayes for Rent	200
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	500
To Elizabeth Green widow and Small Children	500
To Joanna Barnett widow and small Children	300
To Mary Baxter	500
To Susann Sadler for keeping Thos ^s Thurstons	
Child	200
To John Bush	250

To Susannah Sadler for keeping her Daughr having fits & lame	500
To Langley Billups for 2 levies not receivd	49
To Doc ^r John Symmer for John Bushes wife and Ann Burton	871½
To Ann Owen Allow'd to build her an house	400
To Capt. William Hayes on acc ^t of Ann Burton	432
To M ^r Rob ^t Dalgleish for Tho ^s Newburn on acc ^t . Averilla Bridge	200
To Rob ^t Hall to take Tho ^s Thurston's Child off the Parish	500
	28790

(63)

To Acc ^t . Bro ^t . over	28790
To be left in the Church wardens hand to- wards paying off M ^r Jefferson Dunbars acc ^t	4483
To be left in the Church wardens Hands to- ward repairing the old Church	2500
To Whenefred Longest	500
To 4 p ^r . C.t. on 18900 for Cask	756
	37029
To 6 p ^r . C ^t . for Collecting	2221
	39250

Ordered That Capt. Thomas Smith and M^r Kemp Whiting
do Stand Church wardens for the Enjueing year

Ordered That M^r. Kemp Whiting do receive of each Tith-
able person in this Parish 25½^{1/2} Toba^o to Satisfy the several
Creditors

This day M^r William Tabb Resign'd his place of vestryman

Ordered That M^r Robt Tabb have notice that he is Chosen
vestryman In the room of M^r William Tabb Resignd

Tiths for the year 1763 1552 Depof^r. 326

Test John Davis Cl^k

At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish aug^t. 15 1763
Present, The Rev'd M^r. John Dixon Minister

Cap^t Thos^s Smith, M^r Kemp Whiting, Churchwardens Capt.
Tho^s Hayes, Maj^r Kemp Plummer, M^r William Tabb Capt.
William Hayes, Cap^t John Peyton, M^r George Dudley M^r.
Edward Hughes, M^r James Ransone,

Ordered That the Church wardens get three Windows put
into the Church and have the beam cut away and and get
the Pews mended and any other small Repairs they Shall
Think Necessary

Resolvd that Jefferson Dunbar has not compleated the plaiſ-
tering of the Gallery in a workmanlike manner

Test	John Davis
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(64)

At a vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r. 19th in the
year 1764

Present The rev'd M^r. John Dixon Minif^r

Capt. Thomas Smith M^r Kemp Whiting Church warden
Capt. Tho^s Hayes, Capt W^m Hayes, C, John Peyton, M^r
George Dudley M^r Edward Hughes M^r James Ransone Maj^r
Kemp Plummer

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz.

To the rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minif ^r	16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for Quitrence & accompt	700
To Capt. John Clayton Clk	18
To John Davis Clk. of lower Church & vestry	1700 & cask
To Tho ^s Dawson Ditto of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis ditto of the old Church	400
To Tho ^s Dawson for Keeping the plate	200
To Catherine marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton	600
To Hannah Fordom	400

To John Davis for Keeping John Davis for Keeping Church Ornaments Cushions &c	200
To Sarah Bassett	400
To Isabella Parrott for making fires in the upper Vestry House	100
To John Davis for d ^o of the lower vestry house	100
To Ann Owen for rent to be paid to C. Thos Hayes	200
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Elizabeth Green Widow	500
To Joannah Barnett and Small Children	300
To Mary Baxter	500
To Susannah Sadler for keeping Daughter having fits and Lame	500
To John Ripley for 1 levy over paid last year	25½
To Thos pool for one levy over paid last year & 1 this year	55
To M ^r Gabriel Hughes to finish Ann Owens House	366
To W ^m Blake to his Ballance	680
To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon to pay Jefferson Dunbar 18 9 9	2464
[] ^{rs} Mary Tabb for for Elizabeth Lovet	533

(65)

To acc ^t bro ^t up	
To Elizabeth Turner and Small Children	500
To Thomas Newburn for a year to come Keep- ing Elizabeth Parrots Bastard	500
To 4. P ^r C ^t . on 18900 for cask	756
To 6. P ^r C ^t for Collecting	
Orererd That M ^r . Kemp Whiting do pay 11 7 1 out of the money in his hands to W ^m Blake	
and also	20 7 3 to
Jefferson Dunbar	
Ordered That James Howgate & Thomas Williams be Levy free	

Ordered That M^r George Dudley and M^r Edward Hughes be appointed Church Wardens, and M^r George Dudley is authorized to receive twenty three pounds of Tobacco for each Tithable person in this parish

Ordered That two Dials presented to the parish by the Rev'd John Dixon be fixed up on Substantial and neat posts of Cedar Locust or Mulberry to be paid for out of the Tob^o left in the Collectors hands being 532 ^{1bs.}

Ordered. That what shall be left in the Collectors hands after putting up the Dials and also 326^{1b} of Tob^o in M^r Kemp Whitings Hands be paid to M^r Robert Billups for maintaining Elizabeth Hooks Bastard But the Church wardens are Desired to bring suit against the father of the Child, and Prosecute the Woman, and all others who have Bastards for the Fine

Test

John Davis.

(66)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Octob^r 28th 1765

Present The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Ministr^r

M^r George Dudley, M^r Edward Hughes Church Wardens Capt. William Hayes Capt, John Peyton M^r Kemp Whiting M^r James Ranjone, M^r Robert Tabb, Capt Thos^s, Hayes

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for quitrents and acc ^t of 4 15 3	476
To Capt John Clayton Clerk of the County Court	265 $\frac{1}{2}$
To John Davis Clerk of y ^e Lower Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawson Clerk of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis sexton of the old d ^o	400
To Thomas Dawson for keeping the plate	200
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton	600

To Hannah Fordom Widow	400
To John Davis for keeping Church ornaments Cushions &c, & Making fires in the Vestry House	300
To Issabella Parrett for making fires in the upper Vestry House	100
To Sarah Bafset Widow	400
To Ann Owen to be paid to Capt. Thos Hayes for Rent	200
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Elizabeth Green Widow	400
To Joanna Barnett Widow & Children	300
To Mary Baxter Widow	500
To Sujannah Sadler for Keeping her Lame Daughter	500
To Elizabeth Turner Widow & Children	500
To Judith Machen Widow	200
To George Mullins for taking James Lovt son of Elizabeth Lovet off the Parish	1200
To Richard Sumers for Burying Richard Bush	100
	27981½

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To Acct. Brought over	27981½
To Issabella Parrett to Enable her to keep Eliz- abeth Parrets Child the Ensuing year	400
To M ^r . Peter Bernard for Delinquents	230
To M ^r George Dudley for 3/9 Paid for Writs	18½
To Doc ^r Georg Johnson to pay 3 15 11 Curing Wheneford Longests Leg	378
To Judith Miller Towards Building her house	500
To Jane Reaves	300
To M ^r Gabriel Hughes	37
To 4 ₧ C ^t on 18900 for cask	756
	30601
To 6 ₧ C ^t for Collecting	1836
	32437

Ordered That M^r George Dudley and M^r Edward Hughes Do stand Church wardens for the Enſueing year

Ordered That M^r Langley Billups Do receive of Each Tithable person in this Parish 22½ lb^s Tobacco to ſatisfy the several Creditors

Ordered That M^r Langley Billups do acc^t for the remainder of 222 lbs Toba^o at the Laying the Next Parish Levy

Witneſs	John Davis
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(68)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 18th. 1766

Present The Rev'd M^r. John Dixon Minister

M^r. Edward Hughes, M^r George Dudley, Church wardens
Capt Thomas Hayes, Capt William Hayes Capt. Thomas Smith
M^r James Ranſone, M^r Robert Tabb, Maj^r William Plummer

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz

To the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	1600 & cask
To d ^o for Shrinkage	640
To Ditto for Quittrents & wine £4 15 3	549
To Capt ^t John Clayton	18
To John Davis Clerk of y ^e Lower Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawson Clerk of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Iſſabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis d ^o of the old Church	400
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Tho ^s Dawson for keeping the Plate	200
To Mary Bolton	600
To Hannah Fordom Widow	400
To Jn ^o Davis for keeping Church ornam ^{ts} .	
Cuiſhions &c & making fires in the Vestry House	300
To Iſſabella Parrett for making fires in the upper Vestry House	100
To Sarah Bafset widow	400
To Ann Owen	200

To Elizabeth Bridge	600
To Elizabeth Green widow	200
To Mary Baxter	500
To Elizabeth Turner Widow & Children	300
To Judith Machen Widow	200
To Jane Reaves Widow, to be paid to W ^m Anderton	300
To Susannah Sadler for keeping her Daughter being lame & having fits	500
To 4 ⠼ C ^t on 18900 for cask	756
	26863

(69)

To acc ^t bro ^t up	26863
To Richard Morgan & his Wife	300
To Martha Christian Widow & Children	400
To John Soper	500
To Elias Pew to Enable him to School a Child two years	250
To Joseph Tabor for keeping Elizabeth Soles Child Six months past	300
To M ^r George Dudley for Cutting Pines in the New Church Yard	50
To M ^r Langley Billups for Ball ^e of Levies Over Charg'd Last year	84½
To be Paid to the Church wardens for Clothing Hugh Brookes	200
To Thomas Williams towards Clothing him	300
To M ^r Mary Blacknall to Enable her to keep Ann Colemons Child the Ensuing year	300
To the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon for Pailing the Garden and Covering the Cellar and Stable and finding all	1350
	30897
To 6 ⠼ C ^t . for Collecting	1853
	32750

Ordered That M^r Robert Tabb and M^r James Ransone Act as Church wardens the Ensueing year

Ordered that M^r Langley Billups be appointed Collector and that he Receive of Each Titheable Person in this Parish the sum of Twenty two Pounds of Toba^o to Satisfy the several Creditors above mentioned

Sign'd by the Rev'd M^r John Dixon
Witnes^s

John Davis

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Sept^r 28th 1767

Present The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Minister Maj^r Kemp Plummer Maj^r William Plummer Capt. John Peyton Capt. Thomas Smith Capt W^m Hayes M^r Kemp Whiting M^r. George Dudley M^r Rob^t Tabb

Ordered that M^r William Armistead of Hesse be appointed vestry man in the Room of M^r James Ransone Decea'd
Witnes^s

John Davis

(70)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 23^d 1767

Present The Rev^d M^r John Dixon Minister Capt. Thos^s Hayes Maj^r. Kemp Plummer Capt. W^m Hayes Cap^t John Peyton M^r George Dudley M^r. Kemp Whiting, M^r Edward Hughes Cap^t Thomas Smith

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for Quittrents and acc ^t £4 15 3	476
To be paid for Copy of the List of Tithables	18
To John Davis Clark of the Lower Church & vestry	1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawson Cl ^k of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Isabella Parot Sexton of the New Church	400
To Jn ^o Davis ditto of the old Church	400
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Thomas Dawson for keeping the Plate	200

To Mary Bolton	600
To Hannah Fordom Widow	400
To Jn ^o Davis for Keeping Church ornam ^{ts}	
Cushions &c and making fires in the Lower	
Vestry House	300
To Sarah Basset Widow	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Ann Owen Widow	200
To Mary Baxter	500
To Elizabeth Turner Widow and Children	300
To Judith Machen Widow	300
To Jane Reaves Widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for keeping her Lame	
Daughter	500
To Richard Morgan and his Wife	300
To Martha Christian Widow & Children	400
To M ^r Ann Blacknall for keeping Ann Cole- mans Child	300
To Richard Longest for Keeping Dorothy Par- rots Child the year Last past; to be paid to	
the Rev ^a John Dixon	600
To Joseph Tabor for Keeping the Child of	
Elizabeth Soles The year last past to be paid	
to M ^r Langley Billups	600
(71)	
Brought over	28034
To Susannah Sadler	100
To Moses Hudgen for a Levy over paid last	
year	22
To James Huggate	200
To Joseph King 5 ^s /	25
To M ^r Robert Dalgeish 10/	50
To 4 P ^t C ^t . on 18900 for Cask	756
To Isabella Parrot for making fires in the	
Vestry House at the New Church	100
To Henry Hunley for 3 Levies over paid last	
year	66

To Wilkinson Hunley for 10 ditto	220
To Deborah Edwards widow	300
To M ^r Langley Billups for Tithables given him in the Last year that he cant receive Levies from	564
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	30437
To 6 ♂ C ^t . for Collecting	1826
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	32263

Ordered That M^r Robert Tabb do receive of each Tithable Person in this Parish 21 lb^s of Tobacco to Satisfy the Several Creditors

Ordered That Capt John Peyton do Stand Churchwarden for the Ensueing year With M^r Robert Tabb

Signed by The Rev'd M^r John Dixon

Witness	John Davis
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(72)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Decr 12th 1768

Present The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Minister M^r Rob^t. Tabb
Cap^t John Peyton, Churchwardens Cap^t W^m Hayes M^r Kemp
Whiting M^r George Dudley M^r Edward Hughes Cap^t. Thomas
Smith

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To d ^o for Shrinkage	640
To Capt John Clayton for Copy of List of Tithables	18
572 To The rev'd M ^r John Dixon for Quitrents & wine £4 15 ^s 5 ^a	572
To John Davis Clerk of y ^e old Church	1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawson d ^o of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Isabella Parret sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis ditto of the old Church	400
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Thomas Dawson for keeping the plate	200

To Mary Bolton Widow to be paid to Robert Cully	600
To Hannah Fordam Widow	400
To John Davis for keeping Church ornam ^{ts} Cushions &c	200
To John Davis for making fires in the Vestry House	100
To Isabella Parrett for making fires in the upper ditto	100
To Sarah Basset Widow	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Ann Owen Widow to be paid to Capt Tho ^{as} Hayes	200
To Elizabeth Turner Widow and Children	300
To Judith Machen Widow & Children	300
To Jane Reaves Widow to be paid to William Ander ^{ton}	300
To Susanna Sadler for her Lame Daughter	500
To Richard Morgan and Wife	300
To Martha Christian Widow & Children	400
To Richard Longest for keeing Dorothy Parets Child	500
To M ^r Mary Blacknall for keeping ann Cole- mās Child	400
To Joseph Tabor for keeping Elizabeth Soles's Child To be paid to Langley Billups	400
To James Hugget	200
To Deborah Edwards Widow	300
	28030

(73)

To Acc ^t Bro ^t up	28030
To 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ C ^t . on 18900 for Cask	756
To be left in the Church wardens Hands towards paying the Doctors for John Soper	1200
To Ann King Widow and Children	300
To M ^r Richard Gregory for provision for S ^a	

Ann King	250
To Joshua Bridge for a wons Lying in and board at his house seven weeks to be paid to Fran ^s Miller	150
To M ^r John Billups for Corn for Elizabeth Treacle	150
To M ^r Robert Tabb for 19 Tithables that he cannot Receive Levies from	399
To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon for Building a Quarter on the Glebe £40	4000
To ditto for an Houfe for the Overseer 16 x 12 £5	500
To ditto for repairing the Vestry House at the old Church	200
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	35935
To 6 ♂ C for Collecting	2156
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	38091

Ordered That M^r Charles Tompkes Sheriff do Collect and Receive of each Tithable person in this Parish 24¹/₄ lbs of Tobacco to sattisfy the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That M^r William Armistead stand Church warden the Ensueing year with Sir. John Peyton

Ordered That Cap^t Francis Armistead Have Notice That he is Chosen Vestryman in Stead of M^r Hugh Gwyn Resign'd Test John Davis

(74)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Dec^r 11th 1769

Present The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Minister

Sir John Peyton William Armistead Gent^m Church Wardens Capt. William Hayes. Capt. Tho^s. Smith. M^r Edward Hughes, M^r. Robert Tabb M^r. George Dudley

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rever'd M^r John Dixon Minister 16000 & cask

To Ditto for Shrinkage	640
To Ditto for Quitrents and acc ^t	1615
To Capt. John Clayton for Copy of the List Tithables	18
To John Davis Cl ^k of Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To Ditto Sexton of old Church	400
To Ditto for keeping Church Ornaments Cush- ions &c	200
To Ditto for making fires in thie Lower Vestry House	100
To Thomas Dawson Clerk of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Ditto for keeping the Plate	200
To Robert Sadler & Ann King Sextons of New Church	400
To Ditto for keeping fires in the Vestry House	100
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton	600
To Sarah Bajset Widow	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Ann Owen Widow to be paid to C. Thos Hayes	200
To Elizabeth Turner Widow & Children	300
To Judith Machen	300
To Jane Reaves Widow	300
To Sujannah Sadler for keeping her lame Daughter	500
To Richard Morgan & Wife	300
To Martha Christian Widow & Children	400
To James Hugget	200
To Deborah Edwards Widow	300
To Joseph Tabor for keeping & burying Eliza Soles Child	400
To Richard Longest for keeping keeping Dorothy Parrets Child, to be paid to Thomas Flippen	500

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To Acc ^t Brought up		28273
To Ann King Widow & Children		300
To Richard Morgan to buy Provision for this time only		500
To John Brownley		300
To John Sampson		300
To Elizabeth Brownley and Children		600
To be paid Sir John Peyton for Doctor Thos Clayton on acc ^t of Elizabeth Parrett		508
To Joanna Barnett Widow & Children		300
To Richard Gregory for a Coffin for Elizabeth Lovet		50
To Mary Chambers for Laying and boarding Mildred Bridges		150
To James Hodges for 2 Levies over paid		42
To James Harris for making a Coffin for Han- nah Fordom		50
To Elizabeth Trekle Widow		400
To 4 ♭ C ^t on 18900 for Cask		756
To M ^r . Charles Tompikes for Insolvents		1081
		33610
To 6 ♭ C ^t for Collecting		2016½
		35626

Number of Tithables on the List from the from the office
is with the addition of some more found out by the Vestry
1421 Levy ♭ pole 25 lb Remainder 101 lb Toba^a

Ordered That William Armistead Gent^m and Sir John Pey-
ton stand Church Wardens the Ensuueing year

Ordered that M^r Langley Billups do receive of each Tithable
Person in this Parish 25 lbs Tobacco to Satisfy the several
Parish Creditors and to acc^t for the remainder at Laying the
next Levy for this Parish

Ordered That Mr. John Willis have notice that the vestry
have Chosen him vestryman in the room of Capt. Thos Hayes

who this day by note to the vestry resign'd his place of Vestryman.

It is the Opinion of the Vestry that the Church wardens ought to rectify any mistake that may happen in Laying the Levy.

Ordered That Thomas Rice be Levy free

Witness

John Davis

(76)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish at the gleab March
6th. 1770

Present The Rev'd Mr. John Dixon Minister Capt W^m. Hayes, Capt Thos Smith Coll. John Peyton Mr George Dudley M^r Edward Hughes M^r Robert Tabb M^r Kemp Whiting

It was agreed to and Signed by the above mentioned Gent^m of Vestry, That the Rev'd Mr John Dixon be absent Some Months and to receive the Rever'd Mr Thomas Baker to officiate for him during his Absence and to receive the Said Rev'd Mr John Dixon again if it is his desire to return.

Witness

John Davis

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Octob^r 29th 1770
Present The rev'd Mr John Dixon, The rev^d Mr. Thomas Baker, Sir John Peyton, M^r William Armistead Churchw^d, Major Kemp Plummer, Capt William Hayes, M^r Kemp Whiting, M^r Edward Hughes, M^r Rob^t Tabb, Capt^a Fran^s Armistead, Capt^a Thomas Smith, & M^r Geo. Dudley

This day The rev^d Mr John Dixon Resin^d the Parrish

It is Agreed to Allow The rev^d Mr Thomas Baker the Salary or a Proportionable part of it for the time he shall Officiate as Minister of this Parrish and we Agree to Employ him if he Chuses to serve untel a Minister is chosen Allowing him the Use of the Gleab and all Other Emolumants the same as to a Rector

Carried up

(77)

The Gent^m fore mentioned Order that Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz

To The Rev'd Mr John Dixon	12000	12000 & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage	480	
To Ditto for Quittrents and Acc ^t . £6 5	750	
To Capt. John Clayton for Copy of the List Tithables	18	
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry	1700	1700 & cask
To Ditto Sexton of the Old Church	400	
To Ditto for taking Care of Church Ornam ^{ts} Cushions &c	200	
To D ^o for making Fires in the Vestry House	100	
To Estate of Thos ^s Dawson Deceas'd and Richd ^d Wiatt Roystone Clerks of the New Church	1200	1200 & cask
To The said Estate for keeping the plate	200	
To Ann King Sexton of the New Church	400	
To Ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House	100	
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400	
To Mary Bolton Widow	600	
To Sarah Basset Widow	400	
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600	
To Ann Owen Widow for rent	200	
To Elizabeth Turner Widow and Children	300	
To Judith Machen Widow	300	
To Jane Reaves Widow	300	
To Susannah Sadler for keeping her lame Daugh ^r	500	
To Richard Morgan and Wife	300	
To be left in the Church Wardens hands for Richard Longest for keeping Dorothy Par- rets Child	1000	
To Martha Christian Widow & Children	400	
To James Hugget	200	
To Deborah Edwards Widow	300	
To Mrs Mary Blacknal for keeping & Cole- mans Child	400	

To D ^o for ditto omitted Last year	400
To Ann King Widow & Children	300
To John Brownley	300
To John Sampson	300
To Elizabeth Brownley Widow & Children	600
To Joanna Barnet Widow	300
To Elizabeth Treakle Widow & Children	400
Carried over	26348
(78) Acct. Bro ^t over	26348
To The Rev'd M ^r . Thomas Baker Minister	4000 & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage	160
To Thomas Blake for acc ^t . £7 12 6 for work on the Church	915
To Joseph King £4 2 6 for Horse Blocks Racks & Coffin	495
To Capt Shackleford for acc ^t £1 19 0½	234
To M ^r Robert Tabb for Insolvents	512
To Doc ^r Geo. Johnson for acc ^t	500
To M ^r Langley Billups for Insolvents	700
To Peter Bell for Keeping Thos ^s Crawly hav- ing fits	300
To Richard Morgan & his wife allow'd more	300
To Richard Parrett for one Levy over paid	25
To Susannah Sadler for her Self	300
To Thomas Newburn for Keeping a Child	100
To 4 ♀ C ^t on 18900 for Cask	756
	35645
To 6 p ^r C ^t for Collecting	2138
	37783

Ordered That M^r William Smith Sheriff do Receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish Twenty six & $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs Tobacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That M^r John Willis and Capt. Francis Armistead be Church Wardens the Ensuing year

Ordered That the Church wardens do rectify any Mistake if any is

Ordered That W^m Bridge be levy free

Witnesses John Davis.

(79)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Dec^r 19th 1770

	Sir John Peyton	M ^r Robert Tabb
Present	Capt. William Hayes	M ^r William Armistead
	M ^r George Dudley	Capt. Francis Armistead
	M ^r Edward Hughes	M ^r John Willis
		Gent. ^m of Vestry

The Rev'd M^r Thomas Baker, The Rev'd M^r Thomas Field, The Rev'd M^r Arthur Hamilton, and the Rev'd M^r Archibald Avens offering themselves as Candidates for this Parish in the Room of the Rev'd M^r Dixon Resign'd, and by a Majority of the vestry the above M^r Field was Chosen whose time will Commence from the fifth day of January 1771 The Rev'd M^r Thos^s Baker having serv'd as Minister of this Parish according to a former Order of Vestry three Months.

Test. John Davis

(80)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 25, 1771

Present, The Rev'd M^r Thos^s Feilde Minister Sir John Peyton, Cap^t Thos^s Smith M^r George Dudley M^r Edward Hughes, M^r William Armistead Cap^t Francis Armistead, M^r John Willis

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.		
To The Rev'd M ^r Thos ^s Fielde Minister	13055 $\frac{1}{4}$	& cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage	0522	
To The Rev'd M ^r Thos ^s Baker	2944 $\frac{3}{4}$	& cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	0117	
To M ^r John Clayton	0018	
To John Davis Cl ^r of Church & Vestry	1700	& cask
To ditto sexton of the old Church	400	

To Richard Wiatt Royston Clerk of the New Ch	1200 & cask
To John Davis for keeping Church Ornam ^{ts}	
Cushions &c	200
To Ditto for making fires in the Vestry House	100
To Ann King sexton of y ^e New Church	400
To Ditto for making fires in the Vestry House at the New Church	100
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To Sarah Basset widow	400
To Elizabeth Bridge widow	600
To Ann Owen	200
To Judith Machen widow	300
To Jane Reaves widow	300
To Susannah Sadler for her lame Daughter	500
To Richard Morgan & wife	600
To Martha Christian widow	400
To James Hugget	300
To Deborah Edwards widow	300
To Ann King Widow & Children	300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children	600
To Joanna Barnet	300

(81)

To acc ^t Bro ^t over	
To Elizabeth Treacle widow & Children	400
To Peter Bell for keeping Thomas Crawley the year past, to be paid to W ^m Smith	500
To Susannah Sadler for self	300
To Ann Hudgen widow	300
To Sarah Lovet	300
To Robert Keeys for acc ^t £1 3 6	117½
To Margaret Wiatt widow	500
To Tho ^s Blake for work on the Glebe	8000
To Tho ^s Flippen for removing a woman	0100

To M ^r John Willis for acc ^t	£5 2 4	512
To Richard Longest for keeping a Child of Dorothy Parret		500
To Robert Green for 7 Levies over paid last year		183 $\frac{3}{4}$
To Sarah Sadler & Children		300
To Mildred Burton for keeping Catherine Ellis's Child		500
To 4 ♭ C ^t on 18900 for Cask		756

(82)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 25th 1771

Present, The Rev'd M^r Thos^s Feilde Minister
 Sir John Peyton, Cap^t Thos^s Smith M^r George Dudley M^r
 Edward Hughes, M^r William Armistead Capt. Fran^s Armis-
 tead and M^r John Willis

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied As follows

To The Rev'd M ^r Thos ^s Feilde	13055 $\frac{1}{4}$ ca[]
To ditto for shrinkage	522
To The Rev'd M ^r Thomas Baker	2944 $\frac{3}{4}$
To Ditto for shrinkage	117
To M ^r John Clayton for Copy of the List	18
To John Davis Clerk of the old Church & Vestry	1700 & ca[]
To Ditto sexton of the old Church	400
To Ditto for keeping Church ornam ^{ts} Cushions &c	200
To Ditto for Making Fires in the vestry House	100
To Rich'd Wiatt Royston Clerk of y ^e New Church	1200 & ca[]
To Ann King sexton	400
To Ditto for making Fires in the vestry House	100
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To Sarah Basset widow	400

To Elizabeth Bridge widow	600
To Ann Owen widow	200
To Judith Machen widow	300
To Jane Reaves widow	300
To Susannah Sadler for her Lame Daugh'r	500
To Richard Morgan and Wife	600
To Martha Christian widow	400
To James Hugget	300
To Deborah Edwards widow	300
To Ann King widow and Children	300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children	600
To Joanna Barnet widow	300
To Elizabeth trekle widow	400
To Peter Bell for Keeping Thomas Crauley to be paid to W ^m Smith	500
(83)	
To Acc ^t Brought up	27075
To Susannah Sadler for self	300
To Ann Hudgen widow	300
To Sarah Lovet	300
To Rob ^t Keys for Acc ^t 23/6	117½
To Margaret Wiatt	500
To Thos ^o Blake for work on the Glebe	8000
To Thos ^o Flippen for removing a Woman	100
To M ^r John Willis for acc ^t £5 2 4	512
To Rich ^a Longest for keeping Dorothy parrets Child	500
To Rob ^t Green for, 7, Levies overpaid	183½
To Sarah Sadler and Children	300
To Mildred for for keeping a bastard Child of Caty Ellis's	500
To 4 ♭. C ^t 18900 for Cask	756
	40326½
To 6 ♭. C ^t Collecting	2419
	42745½

Ordered That Cap^t Francis Armistead and Mr John Willis stand Church wardens the Ensueming year

Ordered That Mr W^m Smith receive of each Tithable person in this parish thirty two Pounds of Tobacco to sattisfy the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That Mr Humphry Gwyn, Mr Tho^s, Hayes Mr Geo. W^m. Plummer & Mr Gab^l, Hughes Have Notice from the Clerk that they are Chosen Vestrymen, in the room of Cap^t. W^m. Hayes Deceas'd Mr. Kemp Whiting, Maj^r W^m Plummer resign'd & Maj^r Kemp Plummer Deceas'd

Over

(84)

Ordered That Cap^t Thomas smith, Mr. John Willis, and Sir John Peyton at some at some convenient time meat at the Glebe and view the work done there by Thomas Blake, and order as much of the Tobacco in the Collectors hands to him as they shall think sufficient for the work there done.

Ordered That The Rev'd Mr Feilde have Liberty to dispose or make use of such Timber as may be in the Lands if more than he can make use of on the Glebe and that the Church wardens acting inspect or looke over the same

Ordered That The depos^r in the hands of the Collector be disposed of as the Church wardens may Think Convenient

Ordered That the Gent^m. appointed to view the work done at the Glebe take a Bond of Thomas Blake for his Compleating the work now unfinish'd in a reasonable time.

Witnes

John Davis

(85)

[] Kingsto[]
Nov 28th 1772

Gent^m Pres^t Sir John Peyton C Thomas Smith Mr. Edw'd Hughes, Mr. George Dudley, Mr. William Armistead Cap^t. Francis Armistead, Mr. John Willis

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as followeth Viz.

To The Rev ^d M ^r Tho ^s Feilde Minis ^t	16000 & Cask
To ditto for shrinkage	640
To Capt. John Clayton for Copy list	18
To Richard. W. Royston Cl ^k of the New Church	1200 & Cask
To Ann King sexton of y ^e new Church	400
To John Davis Cl ^k of y ^e Old Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To ditto for sexton of the old Church	400
To ditto for taking Care of C ^{hh} ornam ^{ts} & Cushions	200
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House at old C ^{hh}	100
To Ann King for ditto at the new C ^{hh}	100
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To Sarah Basset Widow	400
To Ann Owen widow for Rent	200
To Judith Machen widow	300
To Jane Reaves widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her lame Da ^r	500
To Rich ^d Morgan & his wife	600
To Martha Christian widow	400
To Deborah Edwards widow	300
To Ann King Widow and Children	300
To Richard Morgan toward retrieving his los ^s	200
To Eliza th Brownley widow and Children	500
To Rob ^t Hudgen for Keeping Thos ^s Crauly	500
To susanah sadler for her self	300
To Elizabeth Hudgen	300
To Thos ^s Flippen for Clearing the Parish of Nancy Parret a Bastard Child	500
	27558

(86)

[To Ballance on acc ^t of M ^r John Willis 10/3	68
	To Sarah Sadler Widow & Children	500
]	To Mildred Burton for keeping a Child of	

Caty Ellis	500
To Mrs. Mary Blacknall for Thos Coleman two years	800
To Eliz. Evans widow	300
To Mary Anderton Widow	600
To Ann Fletcher widow	300
To ditto the above 68 th of M ^r willis	
To Geo. Willis and his wife	400
To Moses Hudgen	200
To Dorothy Mullens for Keeping Elz. Snow Longest	500
To Ann Longest for Keeping W ^m Longest an Orphan Child	500
To Nicholas Wescom for taking Nancy Longest off the Parish	500
To Edmund Owen for taking Care of in sick- ness and Burying John Davis	100
Allow'd to purchase a Law book	250
To be left in the Collectors hands and apply'd as directed hereafter by the Vestry	6000
To Capt Francis Armistead for acc ^t for Wine £6	720
To 4 ⠼ C ^t . on 18900 for Cask	756
	40552
To 6 ⠼ C ^t . for Collecting	2433
	42985

old orders of Vestry

(87)

Remainder of orders at the vestry at the [] Church in
the year of our Lord 1772 Bro []

Ordered, That Cap^t Thos Hayes and M^r, Gab[] Hughes,
stand Church Wardens the Ensuueing y[]

Ordered That M^r Benjamin Shackelford do Collect of each
Tithable Person in this Parish Thirty fo[] and a Quarter

Pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the severa[] Parish Creditors

By a Majority of the Vestry Present M^r Walter Keeble,
Capt. John Billups and M^r Edmund Custis were Chosen Vestrymen for this Parish

This Day it appearing to the Vestry the Undernam[] Persons have not given their List of Tithables for the present year

Ordered That the Church wardens make Information against the s^a persons, and all others that shall appear to them not to have Given in their Lists and that this be a standing Rule for the future

Agreed on that the same three Gent^m of Vestry Sir John Peyton Thomas Smith Esq^r and M^r John Willis with M^r Edward Hughes Capt Thomas Hayes and M^r Gab^l Hughes do meat at the Glebe or any three of them at some Convenient time and value the work done there by Thomas Blake and Examine his Acc^t, Likewise Examine Likewise see what is to do there and have it done

The above Ordres were Signed by the Rev'd M^r Thomas Feilde Minister of the above S^a Parish[] of Kingston

Test

John Davis

(88)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish October 26, 1773

Present The Rev'd M^r Thomas Feilde Minister Capt Thomas Smith, M^r George Dudly, M^r Edward Hughes, M^r William Armistead, Capt. Francis Armistead Capt. Thomas Hayes M^r Gabriel Hughes & Capt. John Billups

To The Rev'd M ^r Tho ^s Feild Minister	16000
To ditto for Shrinkage 640 To ditto for Cask 640	1280
To Cap ^t John Clayton Cl ^k of y ^e County for Copy list of Tiths	18
To Thomas Hall Clerk of the New Church	1200
To ditto for Cask	48
To Ann King sexton of the new Church	400
To ditto for making Fires in the vestry House	100

To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To sarah Basset widow	400
To Ann Owen widow	300
To Judith Machen Widow	300
To Jane Reaves widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her Da ^r being lame & havings fits	500
To Richard Morgan & his Wife	600
To Marth Christian widow	400
To Ann King widow & Children	300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children	500
To Robert Hudgen for Keeping Thos ^s Crauley	400
To Susanna Sadler \ddagger self	300
To Elizabeth Hudgen widow	300
To Sarah Sadler widow & Children	500
To Elizabeth Evans widow	300
To Ann Willis Widow	400
To Moses Hudgen	300
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry	1700
To Ditto for Cask 68. To ditto sexton	468
To ditto for taking Care of C ^{ha} Ornam'ts & Cushions	200
To ditto for making Fires in the vestry House	100
To Mildred Burton for Keeping a Child of Caty Ellis	500
To John Anderton for Keeping an orphan of Mark Anderton	400
To Ann Sellers for two orphans of ditto	800
To Ann Flecher widow & Children	300
To Dorothy Mullins for keeping an orphan of W ^m Longst	500
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	31314
(89)	
To Acct ^t . Bro ^t over	31 []
To Ann Longest for an Orphan of W ^m Longest Deceas'd	4[]
To Peter Renals for Molly Bush	4[]

To be sold on the Parish acc ^t	501 []
	37131
To 6 ₩. C ^t for Collecting	2227
	39358

Ordered That M^r Gabriel Hughes & Cap Thomas Hayes Continue Church Wardens for the ensuing year

Ordered That M^r Gabriel Hughes or his Deputy do receive of each Tithable person in this Parish twenty Eight pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors there being 1421 Tithables in the List

Ordered That the 5017 lb of Tobacco be Sold by the Collector on July Court day 1774 for this County, in order to Satisfy the Cash acc^{ts} as follows

To The Rev'd M ^r Thomas Feild's acc ^t for wine &c	£8 18 8½
To The Church Wardens ditto	3 13 6
and for the intended repairs to the Churches and Glebe House	

ordered That M^r Benj^a Shackelford pay Thos^s Blake the Ballance of his acc^t and what remains in his hands to the Church Wardens to be applied to the Cash acc^{ts}

Ordered That M^r William Smith pay the Tobacco remaining in his Hands to Thos^s Blake

ordered thirty yards of *Crocus for the Parlour at the Glebe Correct in the above the N^o of Tithables there being only 1421

Witness	John Davis
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(90)

[] a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 9, 1774
Present The Rev'd M^r Thomas Feilde Minister Sir John Peyton, Maj^r Thomas Smith, M^r Edw'd Hughes M^r George

* This word was difficult to decipher. Possibly it has been read wrong.—C. G. C.

Dudley, Capt. Thomas Hayes M^r John Willis M^r Gabriel Hughes Capt John Billups

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To The Rev'd M ^r Thomas Feilde Minister	16000
To ditto for Shrinkage 640 To ditto for Cask 640	1280
To the Clerk of the County for Copy List of Tithables	20
To Thomas Hall Clerk of the New Church	1200
To Ann King Sexton ditto	400
To Tho ^s Hall for Cask	48
To Ann King for Making Fires in the vestry House	100
To Mary Bolton Widow	800
To Sarah Basset widow	400
To Ann Owen Widow	300
To Judith Machen widow	300
To Jane Reaves widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her Da ^r being lame & having Fits	500
To Richard Morgan & Wife	600
To Martha Chriftian Widow	400
To Ann King widow & Child	300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children	500
To Susanna Sadler for self	300
To Sarah S[]dler Widow & Children	500
To Elizabeth Evans widow	300
To Ann Willis widow	400
To Moses Hudgen	500
To Jn ^o Davis Cl ^k of Church & Vestry	1700
To ditto for Cask 68 To ditto for sexton 400	468
To ditto for taking Care of Church Ornam'ts & Cushions	200
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House	100
To Ann Sellers for two Orphans of Mark Anderton	800
To Ann Flecher widow & Children	300
To Dorothy Mullins for Keeping an Orphan of W ^m Longest	500
To Ann Longest for Keeping an Orphan of ditto	400
To Thomas Longest for keeping Molly Bush	400
To Mary Hudgen Midwife for keeping Thomas Crauley	400
To William Owen	300

To John Purnall for keeping a Child of Caty Ellis	450
To Mildred Burton for keeping a Child of Letty Walson	400
[] Elizabeth Green widow & 4 Children	600
[] Thomas Willis for a Child of Dorothy Stedar	400
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	32866
(91)	
Brough up	32866
To the Estate of Maj ^r William Plumer Deceas'd for 6 levies overpaid in the year 1773 28 lb of Tobacco each	168
To M ^r Ben Shackelford for Isovents this year	620
To Satisfy the Cash accompts	2000
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	35654
To 6 ₩ C ^t . for Collecting	2139
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	37793

To Ann Longest widow, to be paid out of the Tobacco arising from the Concealed tithables 300

ordered that Capt. John Billups & Maj^r Tho^s Smith stand Church Wardens the Ensueing year

M^r John Billups Jun^r do receive of each Tithable Person in this Parish Twenty eight Pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That the Churchwardens do make information against all those that have not given in their lists of Tithables, next Court Day

ordered That the 2000 lb of Tobacco levied to pay the Cash acc^ts be sold on July Court Day

ordered that M^r Edward Tabb, & M^r John Dixon have Notice That they are this day Chosen Vestrymen

ordered

At a vestry held for Kingston Parish Aug^t 14, 1775
Present Sir John Peyton, Maj^r Thomas Smith, M^r Edward

Hughes, Mr William Armistead, Mr Gabriel Hughes, Capt Thomas Hayes, Capt, John Billups Capt. John Dixon

Agreed that the Church wardens desire Mr Edward Tabb, Mr Ben. Shackelford, Mr Isaac Smith Mr W^m Smith Mr Matthias James, & Mr John Hunley, Or any three of them to Meet at the Glebe at some Convenient time to view what proportion of Land there appears to have Timbertrees Cut off

(92)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish the 11th day of March 1776

Present The Rev'd Mr Thomas Feilde Minis'r Sir John Peyton Maj'r Thos. Smith Mr Edward Hughes Thos Hayes Gab' Hughes Mr W^m Armistead, & Capt. John Billups

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To The Rev'd Mr. Thos. Feilde Minister	16000
To ditto for shrinkage 640. To ditto for Cask 640	1280
To the County Clerk for the list	20
To Thos Hall Clerk of the New Church	1200
To ditto for Cask	48
To Ann King sexton	400
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House	100
To Mary Bolton Widow	800
To Sarah Bassett Widow	400
To Ann Owen Widow	300
To Judith Machen Widow	300
To Jane Reaves Widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her Daugh'r being lame & having fits	500
To Richard Morgan & Wife	600
To Martha Christian Widow	400
To Ann King Widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her self	300
To Sarah Sadler widow & Children	300
To Elizabeth Evans widow	200
To Ann Willis widow	400
To Moses Hudgin	500

To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry	1700
To ditto for Cask	68
To ditto for for taking Care of Church ornam'ts & Cushi	200
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House	100
To	
To Ann Flecher widow & Children	300
To Dorothy Mullins for Keeping an Orphan of W ^m Longest	500
To Mary Hudgen Midwife for Keeping Tho ^s Crawley	400
To W ^m Owen	300
To Jn ^o Purnall for Keeping a Child of Caty Ellis	450
To Elizabeth Green Widow & 4 Children	600
To Abra ^m Glascock for Keeping Molly Bush this year	400
To Elizabeth Hudgen for Keeping an Orphan of Mark Anderton	400
To Rich ^a Rispafs for 1 of ditto	400
To sarah Weston Widow	300
To John Elliott for Keeping a bastard Child of Usley Davis	150
To Ann Longest widow to pay her Rent	300
To Jn ^o Billups Jun ^r Wine & expence at Williamsburg &c £3 2 6	
(93)	
1776 Acct ^t bro ^t up	
To Ann Longest for Keeping Mary Longest @ y ^e rate of 500 ^{lb} of Tob ^o a year	500
To The Rev'd M ^r . Tho ^s Feilde for 1 years sacram Wine & 2 Locks £2 13 6	
To Ann Ruff Widow to Pay her Rent	200
To Ann Longest for Keeping Mary Longest some time past	300
To Ann Peed for keeping an orphan of Geo. Peed	300
To Sarah Weston Widow	300
To W ^m Foster for repairs to the old Church £11	
To Doc ^r Edw ^a Jones for visit & Medicine for Ann Parrott 19/9	

To The Rev^d M^r Tho^s Feilde for prisng 17280 lb
of Toba^o at 2/6 $\frac{\text{fl}}{\text{lb}}$ Thousand £2||3||2

Ordered That the Church Wardens receive of the late
Collec^r 929 lb^s of Tobacco & the sum of four Pounds &
four Pence to be applied to the Cred^t. of the Parish
To be sold by the Church Wardens at July Glouceſ^r

Court day to satisfy the several Cash acc ^{ts}	2000
To 4850 for Collecting @ 14 $\frac{\text{fl}}{\text{Ct}}$	4850

Ordered That Maj^r Tho^s Smith Collect of each Tithable
Person in this Parish 28 lbs of Tobacco to satisfy the several
Parish Creditors

Ordered That M^r Ben. Shackelford, M^r George Armistead,
M^r John Hayes & M^r Rob^t Matthews Have notice that they
are this day Chosen Vestrymen for this Parish

The above Orders of Vestry were sign'd by the Rev'd M^r
Tho^s Feilde Minister

Witness

John Davis

(94)

At Vestry held for Kingston Parish April 28th 1777.

Present Sir John Peyton Maj^r Tho^s Smith, M^r Edwar
Hughes M^r Gabriel Hughes, M^r William Armistead, Capt
John Billups Capt. John Dixon

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To The Rev ^d M ^r Tho ^s Feilde Minis ^r	18944
To Ditto for cask 640 To ditto for shrinkage 640	
To which is added for 274 for service till Jan. 1. for the Lift of Tithables 2/6 to be p ^d to J. Davis C ^x	1514
To Tho ^s Hall Clk of y ^e New Church	1200
To Ditto for Cask	48
To Ann King Sexton of the New Church	400
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry house	100
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To Sarah Basset widow	400
To Ann owen widow	300
To Judith Machen widow	300

To Jan Reaves widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her daugh ^r being Lame	500
To Rich ^a Morgan & wife	800
To Martha Christian widow	400
To Ann King widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her self	300
To Sarah Sadler widow & Children	300
To Elizabeth Evans widow	200
To Ann Willis Widow	400
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry	1700
To ditto for Cask	68
To ditto for taking Care of Church Ornam ^{ts} , & Cushi ^s	200
To ditto for sexton	400
To ditto for making Fires in the vestry house	100
To Ann Flecher widow & Children	300
To dorothy Mullins for Keeping an Orphan of W ^m Longest	500
To John Purnall for keeping a Child of Caty Ellis	400
To Elizabeth Green widow & Children	600
To Elizabeth Hudgen for Keeping an Orphan of Mark Anderton	400
To Ann Longest to pay her Rent	300
To Ann Ruff widow for ditto	200
To Sarah weston widow	400
To John Elliott for Keeping a Child of Ursly Davis	150
To Dorothy Mullins widow toward paying her rent	200
To Elizabeth Baley	400
To Ann Sellers widow	400
To George Woodin for expence & trouble for Ann Sellers	200
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	34424
(95)	
Acc ^t Brought up	34424
To James Peed for burying Deborah Edwards & expence	250
To Joseph King for repairing Windows in the New	

Church 8/6

To John Davis serving as Clerk from Octob ^r to Jan.	617
To Thos ^s Hall Ditto for Two Months	208
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	2129
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Ordered That Cap^t Edward Hughes & M^r John Dixon be Church Wardens this year.

Ordered That M^r John Dixon do receive of each Tithable Person 26½ lbs of Tobacco To Satisfy the several Parish Creditors and acc^t for the Remainder at the next vestry

ordered That M^r Dudley Cary have notice that he is Chosen Vestryman for this Parish

The afore said orders were sig'd by Sir John Peyton
Test John Davis

(96)

At a vestry Held for Kingston Parish Feb. 6, 1778

Present Sir John Peyton M^r Edward Hughes M^r Gab^b Hughes M^r William Armistead Capt. John Billups Capt. Thomas Hayes M^r Robert Matthew M^r Dudley Cary

The Rev'd M^r Robert Read & The Rev'd M^r William Dunlop offering Themselves as Candidates for this Parish in the room of the Rev'd M^r Feilde *

and by a Majority of the Vestry the Rev'd M^r R. Read was Chosen

Ordered That The Collect^r pay to each Person the Several sums as follows

To John Davis for being Clerk, Sexton, Making

Fires & Keeping Church Ornaments	30 17 0
To Thos ^s Hall Clerk of the New Church 6 Months	7 16 0

* In this space in the MS. there is an asterisk in pencil. At the bottom of page 97 of the MS. a pencilled asterisk occurs again and the words (also in pencil) "who resigned".—C. G. C.

To Ann King Sexton & Making Fires	6		5		0
To Mary Bolton	10		0		0
To Ann Owen	3		15		0
To Susanna Sadler for her lame Daugh ^r	6		5		0
To Richard Morgan & wife	10		0		0
To Ann King	3		15		0
To Susanna Sadler for her self	3		15		0
To Ann Willis	5		0		0
To Elizabeth Green Widow & Children	7		10		0
To Ann Longest for Keeping an orphan Child of Mark Anderton Dec ^d	5		0		0
To Ann Flecher & Children	3		15		0
To Dorothy Mullins for W ^m Longest's orphan	6		5		0
To John Purnal for Caty Ellis's Child	5		0		0
Ann Longest to pay her Rent	3		0		0
To Ann Ruff for Ditto	3		0		0
To John Elliott for John Davis's orphan	3		5		0
To Dorothea Mullins to pay her rent	2		10		0
To Elizabeth Baley	5		0		0
To Ann sellers	5		0		0
To M ^r Edw ^a Hughes	1		2		6
To Philip Terrier for Board & Curing Fran ^s Davis Hand	6		0		0
To Ann Longest for Tho ^s Hilling	3		0		0
To John Brownley	5		0		0
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To 6 ⠼ C ^t for Collecting	151		15		6
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Carried up to the other Leaf	9		4		0
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	£160		19		6

(97)

1778 The remainder of the order of Vestry for Feb 6th 1778
Brought up

Ordered That Capt Edward Hughes & M^r Robert Matthews
be Church Wardens the Present year and that Capt. Edward

Hughes Collect from Each Tithable person in The sum of Two Shillings & three pence to satisfy the several Creditors

Ordered That M^r Thomas Peyton have notice from the Clerk of the Vestry that he is this Day Chosen Vestryman for this Parish

The above orders were Signed by Sir John Peyton
Test John Davis

(98)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Novem^r 23. 1778

Present The Rev.d M^r Tho^s Reade

Sir John Peyton M^r Edward Hughes M^r Gab^t Hughes M^r William Armistead M^r John Billups M^r Thomas Hayes M^r George Armistead M^r Dudley Cary

ordered That the Collector pay to each person the several Sums as follows.

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To John Davis Clerk, sexton making fires and Keeping Church ornaments	30	17	0
To John Palister for keeping Geo. Anderton	4		
To Ann Owen widow	5		
To Edw ^a Hughes	31	15	
To John Peyton	2		8

Ordered To be entered That The Rev^d M^r Tho^s. Reade is chosen & received Minister of this Parish, & that his time began the 14 Day of Aug^t 1778.

Ordered That M^r Mordicai Throcmortain have notice that he is chosen Vestryman for this Parish

Ordered, That M^r Rob^t. Matthews & M^r Edw^a Hughes be Church Wardens the ensuing year.

Ordered, That M^r Rob^t Matthews collect from each Tithable Person the sum of twelve shillings

Thomas Reade

[The following four-line entry appears on a slip of paper pasted on, and near the bottom of, page 98 of the MS.—C. G. C.]

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish April 10th 1779

Present. Sir John Peyton Maj^r Thos^s Smith M^r Edw^d
Hughes, M^r Gabⁱ Hughes Capt. John Billups M^r Geo. Ar-
mistead Capt Rob^t Matthews

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At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish January 31 1780

Present the Rev'd M^r Thomas Read Minister Sir John Pey-
ton, Cap^t. Edw^d Hughes M^r Robert Matthews M^r Gabⁱ Hughes
Capt Tho^s Hayes Cap^t. John Billups M^r Dudley Cary Capt.
Mordecai Throckmorton

Ordered That the Collect^r pay to each Person the several
Sums following viz.

	£
To John Davis Clerk of Church Vestry &c	112 10
To Ann King sexton making Fires &c	23 8 9
To Susanna Sadler for her lame Da ^r	33 15 3
To Richard Morgan & Wife	37 10 0
To Susanna Sadler for her self	14 1 3
To Ann Willis	18 15 []
To Dorothy Mullins for William Longests Child	23 8 []
To John Purnal for Caty Ellis's Child	18 15 []
To John Palister for Mark Andertons Child & to take it off of the Parish	18 15 []
To Ann Longest for Rent	12 4 []
To Ann for Ditto	11 5 []
To John Elliott for Davis's orphan	12 4 []
To Dorothy Mullins to pay her Rent	9 7 6
To Elizabeth Baley	18 15 0
To Ann Sellers	18 15 0
To Ann Longest for Tho ^s Hillens Child	22 10 0
To John Brownley	18 15 0
To Grace Hudgen for Thomas Newburns son	11 5 0
To Mildred Burton	22 10 0
To Molly Lovet	18 15 0
To James Green to take a Child off the parish	22 10 0

To Susanna Bridges	37		10		0
To Agathy Powers	37		10		0
To Ann Willis	18		15		0
To Ann Atherton	45		0		0
To Elizabeth Brummil for services Done to Tho ^s Newburn & son & Dorothy Bernard	145		10		0
To Capt. Matthews for Wine for Repairs to the Glebe £500.	78		0		0

Ordered That George Armistead & Mordicai Throckmorton be appointed Church Wardens

Ordered That James Jones collect from each tithable person the sum of twenty shillings to satisfy the several Creditors as above

Ordered That Philip Tabb be chosen Vestry-Man in the room of Cap^t Tho^s Hayes []ho resigns, & Sam^l. Williams in the room of Dudley Cary who resigns & that [] notice thereof

Tho^s Reade

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At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish at the old Church the 26th Day of November 1783 Members present, Maj^r. Thomas Smith, M^r Edward Hughes, M^r Gabriel Hughes, Cap^{tr}. John Billups, M^r George Armistead, M^r Samuel Williams, M^r Armistead Smith, & M^r Rob^r Matthews

[]der'd Cash to be levi'd as follow's Vizt.
To Thomas James for Clerk of old Church &

Vestry	£	15		0		0
To		for Clerk of New Church	10		0	
To		for Sexton of old Church	2		0	
To		for Sexton of New Church	2		0	
To Susanna Sadler for self & Daughter			5		0	
To Richard Morgan			4		0	
To Dorothy Mullins			1		10	

To Elizabeth Bailey	I	10	0
To John Brownley	4	0	0
To Ann Owen	I	10	0
To Susanna Terriel	8	0	0
To Judith Mechan	3	0	0
To W ^m Basset Sen ^r for keeping his Sister Sarah	I	0	0
To Dawson Iddens for keeping Humphry Flip-			
pins Child	I	10	0
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	60	0	0

[]der'd that 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ Cent be allow'd for Collecting the above, & that M^r Armistead Smith Collect from Each Tithable Person one Shilling to Satisfy the Several Creditors as above

[]der'd that the Church Wardens give an Order to the Rev^d James M.Bride for ten Pounds of the Money they have now to Collect for Rents of The Glebe & hire of the Negroes belonging thereto

[]der'd that the Church Wardens Rent out the Glebe & hire out the Negroes belonging thereto for the ensuing Year to the highest Bidder

These above Orders were sign'd by Maj^r Thos^s. Smith
Test Thomas James

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At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish at the New Church the 28th day 1783, Members present, S^r John Peyton M^r William Armistead, M^r Edward Hughes, M^r Gabriel Hughes, Cap^{ta} John Billups, M^r George Armistead, Maj^r Mordecai Throckmorton M^r Samuel Williams & M^r Armistead Smith, Gent.

Order'd that M^r Francis Hughes Collect from Each Tithable person 16½^a to Satisfy the Several Creditors, directed by Vestry held the 27th of January last

Order'd that he Collect from M^r Hugh Hayse, M^r Edward Jones, M^r Thomas Gayle, & Maj^r Mordecai Throckmorton

The Tob^d due ~~for~~ their Bonds, in the hands of Church Wa[] or the value thereof in Cash

The above Orders were Sign'd by S^r Jn^d Peyton

Test Tho^s James

M^r Francis Hughes's & his. Father Gabriel Hughes's Bond to the Vestry

Know all men by these presents that we Francis Hughes & Gabriel Hughes of Kingston Parish in Gloucester County, are held & firmly bound unto the Vestrymen of S^a Parish in the just Sum of one Hundred & Eight Pounds Current money of Virginia, which money to be paid to s^a Vestry or their Successors, to the which payment well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves our Heirs & assigns, jointly & Severally firmly by these presents, Seal^d with our Seals & dated this 28th day of May one thousan[] seven Hundred & Eighty three

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Francis & Gabriel Hughes or either of them do well & truly Collect from each Tyth[] Person within this parish the Several Sums as order'd by Vestry, and pay the same into the hands of the Church Wardens according to Law, then this Obligation to be void Else remain in full force & Virtue

Francis Hughes (Seal)

Test

Thomas James

Gabriel Hughes (Seal)

Copy

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At a meeting of []

Church on monday the 27th January 1783 present, Tho^s Smith Edward Hughes, Gabriel Hughes, John Billups, Geo. Armistead Samuel Williams, Armistead Smith, & Mordecai Throck-Morton Gentlemen Vestrymen Order^d that the Several Sums be paid to the following Persons

To Thomas James Clark of the Old Church & Neijtry	14	3	4
To Richd Bajet Clark of New Church	10	0	0
To George Wozell Lexton of the Old Church	2	10	0
To William Bajet Lexton of New Church	1	13	0
To Susanna Sadler for her & lame Daughter	5	0	0
To Richd Morgan	5	0	0
To Dorothy Mullins	1	10	0
To Elizabeth Bailey	1	10	0
To John Broadley	4	0	0
To Ann Owen	2	10	0
To Susanna Terrel	8	0	0
To Judith Machen	3	0	0
To W ^m Bajet Sen ^r for keeping his Sister Sarah	1	0	0
	59	16	8

Order^s that Edm^r Hurst be exempt from paying Parish levy

To Dawm Idens for keeping Humphrey Flippen Child 1 || 10 || 0

To George Armitread for finding necessaries for Thos Newbern & Child 1 || 15 || 0

Order^s that Samuel Williams & Armitread Smith, Gentlemen be appointed Church Wardens

To be Deposited in Church Wardens hands 10 || 0 || 0

Order^s that 5 1/2 Cent be allow^d the Church Wardens for Collecting the above 3 || 13 || 0

76 || 14 || 8

Order^s that Mr Samuel Williams Collect from each Tithable person the Sum of Sixteen pence farthing to Satisfy the Several Creditors above

To Chr. Pryor for two Copies of Lists of Tithes 5/

Order^s that the Church Wardens Collect the Money due for the Rent of the Glebe & Hire of the Negroes

The above Orders Sign'd by Maj^r Thos^s Smith
Test Thos^s James

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[] Vestry [] 20 []
Present Sir John Peyton Baronet, Major Thomas Smith,
Mr William Armistead, Capt John Billup[] Mr Robert Mat-
thews, Mr George Armistead, & Maj Mordecai Throckmorton
Gentlemen Vestrymen

Ordered that Mr Samⁱ Williams have Notice that he is
chosen a Vestryman

Ordered that Mr Thomas Smith and Armistead Smith Ge[]
have Notice that they are appointed Vestrymen

Ordered that the Rev^d John Matthews be chosen Minister
of this parish in the Room of the Rev^d Thomas Reade re-
signe[]

Ordered that the Rev^d Mr Fontaine be requested to prea[]
once a Month until a Minister resides in the Parish

J Peyton

(105)

At A Vestry held for Kingston Parish at the old Church
August the 19th day 1784 Members present
Maj^r Thomas Smith, Mr W^m Armistead. Mr Edw^d Hughes,
Mr Gabriel Hughes Capt^a John Billups, Mr Geo. Armistead,
Mr. Rob^t Matthews, Mr Armistead Smith, Capt^a Thomas
Smith Mr Samuel Williams Gen^t

Ordered The precincts as was laid of in the Year 1780
to stand

Ordered That *Joseph Gayle & Mr Samⁱ Buckner & Mr John
Elliot Jun^r see the processioning of all the Lands within the first
precin[] perform'd & that †Jn^o Flipping & Dunkin Glin & Jo-
seph King []ee that the 2nd precinct be procession'd—That
Dudley Cary and Rich^d Gregory, procession the 3rd precinct—

* The words "Joseph Gayle &" scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.

† The words "Jn^o Flipping &" scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.

That Tho^s Hayes Jun^r & Josiah Dean procession the 4th precinct
—That Holder Hudgin & Ezekiel Lane procession the 5th precinct
—That Geo. Gayle, & Tho^s Tabb procession the 6th precinct
That Rob^t, Billups & Henry Knight procession the 7th precinct
That Tho^s Billups & Joseph Degge Sen^r procession the 8th precinct.— That James Hunley & Joseph Degge Jnr procession the 9th precinct, That James Thomas & John Armistead procession the 10th precinct, — That James Harper, & Joseph Miller, procession the 11th precinct

Order^d that the Different processioners make a return of their performance according to Law

Order^d, that the Church Wardens make application to the different Debtors for Rents of the Glebe & hire of the Negroes for a final Settlement, & that they make return thereof to the next Vestry

Ordered that M^r Thomas Tabb be appointed a Vestry Man & that the Church Wardens acquaint him thereof

Order^d that the Rev^d, Thomas Hopkinson be receiv^d as Minister of this Parish, who is hereby authoriz^d to make use of the Gleb[] & other properties belonging to the Church upon Condition that h[] faithfully & punctually discharge the Sacred duties & Functions thereof, and abide by any future Determination respecting his *appointment Conduct as the Vestry shall enter into

Tho^s: Smith

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At a meeting of the members of the protestant episcopal Church held on the 28th day of March 1785, it being Monday in Easter Week, I caused to be fairly & duely elected the twelve following Gentlemen, Viz John Peyton, Thomas Smith Sen^r Edward Hughes, Gabriel Hughes, Robert Matthews, Thomas Smith Jun^r, Armistead Smith, James Jones, James Booker, Richard Billups, Josiah Deans, & Joel Foster, who are to act as vestrymen for the Parish of Kingston, agreeable to

an Act entitled an "Act for incorporating the protestant episcopal Church. Given under my hand the Day & date above-mentioned.

Armis^a: Smith

We the Subscribers, whose names are hereunto annexed, after havi[] had it announced to us by the Churchwarden for the Time being, who conducted the Election agreeable to the abovementioned Act, that we were fairly & legally chosen Vestrymen under the same, do hereby solemnly declare that we will be conformable to the Doctrine, discipline & Worship of the protestant episcopal Church, as now incorporated by Law.

Tho^s: Smith

April 16th 1785

Edw^a: Hughes

Thomas Smith Jun^r

Armis^a: Smith

James Jones

James Booker

Richard Billups

Josiah Deans

Joel Foster

Gabriel Hughes

(108)

At a meeting of the Vestry for this Parrish on the 16th day of April 1785 were present Tho^s. Smith, Edw^a Hughe[] Tho^s Smith Jun^r Armistead Smith, James Jones, James Booker, Richard Billups, Josiah Deans, & Joel Foster, when the following Proceedings were had

Order'd that Tho^s James be appointed as clerk for the upper & lower Churches & Vestry whose duty it shall be to attend as clerk, the Minister in the discharge of his duty such as reading Psalmody & Burials & also to keep the Vestry Books, & a fair Transcript of their proceedings

Orderd that

Susannah Sadler & Daughter be allowed	£	9		0		0
Richard Morgan ditto		5		0		0
John Brownley ditto		5		0		0
Ann Owen ditto		1		10		0
Susannah Terrel ditto		10		0		0
Dawson Eddins for keeping Hump Flipping Child		1		10		0
Richard Summons & Wife		5		0		0
Elizabeth Jarrot		4		0		0
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Order'd that 5 MP C ^t be allowed the Collector for Collecting the above	£	41		0		0
		2		1		0
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	£	43		1		0

Order'd that Sir John Peyton & Tho^s Smith J^r Gen. be appointed Deputes to meet the episcopal Clergy & Vestry in convention to regulate all religious Concerns of the Protestant episcopal Church its doctrins deciplin & Worship and to institute such rules & regulations as shall be Judged necessary for the Prosperity & good Government therof

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Order'd that Richard Billups & James Booker be app[]ted Church wardens for this Parrish

& that Richard Billups collect Eight pence from each Tithable Person within the s^a Parrish & pay the severil [] Parrish Poor the sums levied for there Support respective[]

Tho^s: Smith

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(111)

At a meeting of the Vestry held for Kingston Parish the 14th of November 1786. Present Maj^r Thomas Smith, M^r Gabriel Hughes, M^r Edw^a Hughes, M^r Armis. Smith, M^r James Booker, M^r Joel Foster, & Capt^t. Rich^a Billups

[]dered that Cap^t Richard Billups apply the Money arising for the rent []he Glebe the year 1785 towards furnishing Glass for repairing the Church []indows

Orderd that the rev'd James M^cBride be received as Minister of this Parrish, who is hereby authoriz'd to make use of the Glebe & other properties belonging to the Church upon conditio[] that he faithfully & punctually discharge the sacred duties & function thereof and abide by any futer detirmination respecting his *appointment Conduct as the Vestry shall enter into

Order'd possession of the Glebe be given the Rev'd James M^cBride on January the 1st. 1787

Order'd that †Sir John Peyton the Rev'd James M^cBride & Tho^s Smith Jun^r Gent^a be appointed deputies to meet the episcopal ‡Church Clergy & Vestry in the next convention to regulate all religious Concerns of the Protestant episcopal Church, its doctrine deciplin and Worship and to institute such rules & regulations as shall be Judged necessary for the Prosperity & good Government thereof

Tho^s Smith

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At a meeting of the Vestry held for Kingston Parish June 6 178[]

Present, Maj^r Tho^s Smith, M^r Edw^a Hughes, M^r Tho^s Smith jun M^r James Booker, M^r James Jones, Cap^t. Rich^a. Billups & M[] Josiah Dean Gent^t. Vestrymen, The following proceeding[] were had. This Day the Rev^d M^r Thomas

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† The words "Sir John Peyton" are scratched through in the MS. and the words "the Rev'd James McBride" written above them.—C. G. C.

‡ This word is scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.

Hopkinson person[] came before the Vestry and made a formal Relinquishment & R[]tion of Kingston Parish. —

Order^a that the Church Wardens [] out the Negro Woman Judah. & Rent the Glebe & Glebe Houses untill the first day of January next at publick Auction

Ordered That M^r Samuel Williams & M^r Armis^d Smith former Church Wardens be Summoned to make return to the next Vestry of the Debts due the Parish for Rents & Negro hires according to a former order dated August 19th 1784

Tho^s: Smith

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At a meeting of the members of the Protestant Episcopal Church held on the 17th. of July 1787. I caused to be fairly and duly elected the twelve following Gent^t., Viz, Sir John Peyton, Thomas Smith Armistead Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith Jun^r. James Booker, Dudley Cary, James Jones, Edward Hughes, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, and Robert Cary, to be Vestry and Trustees of their property, agreeable to an Ordinance of Convention held in the city of Richmond on the 16th of may 1787

James Booker, C. W.

We the subscribers whose names are hereunto annexed, after having it announced to us by the Church Warden for the tim[] being, who conducted the Election agreeable to the above []-tioned Ordinance, that we were fairly and legally cho[] Vestrymen, and Trustees under the same do hereby solemnly declare that we will be conformable to the do[]trine discipline and worship of the Protestant Episcopal Church

July 24th 1787

Tho^s. Smith

Armis^d: Smith

Geo Armistead

Thomas Smith Jun^r

James Booker

Ja^s Jones

Edw^a: Hughes

Joel Foster
Rob^t Cary
Thomas Tabb

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At a meeting of the Vestry, and Trustees, for Kingston Parish had at the Glebe on the 24th of July 1787, were present

Thomas Smith, Arm^a Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith Jun^r, James Booker, James Jones, Edw^a Hughes, []oel Foster, and Robert Cary. the following proceedings []ere unanimously agreed to

Ordered — That Thomas Smith and Edward Hughes be appointed Church. Wardens

Order'd, that the Church Wardens forthwith make application to M^r Sam^l Williams, M^r Arm^a Smith, M^r Rich^a Billups former Church . Wardens, and M^r Francis Hughes Collector of this parish to account for the several Bonds taken and deposited in their hands for the rents of the Glebe or hire of Negro's

Ord^a That the Church. Wardens contract with any person or persons for the necessary repairs of the Churches and Glebe

Ord^a That the said Church . Wardens, apply such Bonds as they may receive, or the money arising there-from or any part thereof towards making such repairs, and make return of their proceedings to the next Vestry

It being suggested and represented that trespasses have bin made upon the Lands belonging to the Glebe and Churches, Ord^a that the Church . Wardens do take such steps as they may deem most proper to prevent the said practice, by ascertaining the boundaries and quantity of said Glebe Lands; as well as []ose heretofore appropriated for the Churchyards & []ing Grounds

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Ord^a That Thomas Smith Jun^r Gent^t be appoint[] a Deputy to meet the Episcopal Clergy and Laity in Convention

to regulate all religious conc[] of the Protestant Episcopal Church, its doctrin[] discipline and Worship, and to institute suc[] rules and regulations as shall be juded neces[]ry for the prosperity and good government thereof

Tho^s: Smith

At a meeting of the Vestry & Trustees for Kingston Parish, held at old Church June 19th 1788. Present Rev^d James McBride, Thomas Sm[] Arm^d Smith, George Armistead, James Booker, Edw^d Hughes, Joel Fo[] Thomas Tabb & Rob^t Cary, the following proceedings were agreed to

Orderd on report of the Church Wardens, that they have made application to the diff^t Debtors for the sev^l sums due for Rents of Glebe & Hire of [] & that their Application proving unsuccesfull, the repairs of Churches & Glebe hath not bin complyed with

Ord^d That the sev^l Bonds due the Church be entered on the Book; [] are as follows

Doct^r Edw^d S Jones Dr. a Bond given the 1st day of Jan^y 1783 for 3500 T[] pay^{b1e} on Dem^d w^t Int^t from the date for Rent of Glebe 1782

To 1 years Rent for 1783 Mr Sam^l Williams C. W. £18.0.0 no Bond taken

To a Bond given for Rent of yr 1784—dated Dec^r. 16th 1783 pay^{b1e} y^e Ensuing []

Dr Maj^r Mord. Throckmorton. To a Bond given for 1400 w^t of Tob^o date [] the 21st day of August 1784 pay^{b1e} 20th Nov^r follow^g

Dr Thomas Gayle To 2 Bonds given Jan^y 1st. 1783 one for £6||10||0 the other for 750 w^t Tob^o = To a Bond given Dec^r 16th 1783 for 30 / pay^{b1e} the ensuing year

Ant^r. Gautier Dr To a Bond given June 20th. 1785 for £6||10||0 pay[] Jan^y 1st 1786

To a Bond given Dec^r 1st 1785 for £36||12||0 pay^{b1e} Jan^y 1st 1787 R[] Matthews & James Hunley Securities

Ord^d that the Church Wardens make application for pay-

ment [] the above Bonds, & if not immediately discharg'd,
to Commence Suit

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that [] his Acc. for Repairs []
] the Glebe amounting to £3||2||9 wth Int^t from the 26th
day of March 1787

[]rd that James Booker be appointed Treasurer.

[]d^a That Thomas Smith Jun^r Esq^r be appointed a Deputy
to meet the Episcopal Clergy & Laity in Convention to reg-
ulate all religious concerns of the Protestant Episcopal Church,
its doctrine discipline & worship [] to institute such rules
& regulations as shall be judged necessary for the prosperity
& good Government thereof

Ja^s McBride

At a Meeting of the Vestry for Kingston Parish, held at
the Cross Roads on the 19th Day of August 1792. When were
Present Thomas Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith
Jun^r James Jones, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, & Robert Cary,
which appearing to be a Majority, the Vestry proceeded to
adopt the following Orders.

Ordered that M^r Thomas Smith be authorized to act as
Clerk of the Vestry for the Day

This Day the Rev^d Armistead Smith produced to the Vestry
Testimonials of his []piscopal Ordination, which being deemed
proper & satisfactory; Ordered, that the s^a Rev^d Armistead
Smith be received into the Parish of Kingston, as their Pastor
[] Minister, that he be permitted to officiate therein as such,
& authorized to enjoy all []he Rights, privileges & advantages,
which a Pastor can enjoy or exercise, under the Rules, &
Canons of the Protestant episcopal Church.

Ordered that the Rev^d Armistead Smith be served with the
Order afores^d & that he be requested to give his attendance
on the Vestry

Present the Rev^d Armistead Smith

Ordered that M^r Dudley Cary, M^r Richard Gregory, M^r

John Cary, M^r Josiah Foster, & M^r Milton L. Glaſock, be appointed Members of this Vestry, to act as such, untill the next triennial Election, & that it be accord[]gly announced to the Gentlemen afores^d by the Clerk

Ordered, that M^r Richard Gregory be appointed a Church Warden in the Room of M^r Edward Hughes dec^d & that it be announced to [].

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That they have a high Sence of his steady attachment to the true Interest of the protestant Episcopal Chur[] of his Fitness & Abilities to take upon himself the impor[] Duties of his office; of the Integrity, the Industry, orderly & exemplary Conduct, with which he has discharged th[] & when the Orders of a Priest shall be confirred [] him, they hereby express their Willingness to receive, [] & encourage him as their Pastor & Minister

Ordered that the said Rev^a Armis[] Smith be & he is hereby warmly recommended to [] Right Rev^a James Madison Bishop of the Protesta[] Episcopal Church of Virginia, as a Person in their []inion capable in all Respects of his-charging the im[]tant & Sacred Duties of a Minister; that as such [] acquitted himself with Fidelity, Circum-spection, and []nce; with undoubted Attachment to the Prosperity of the Church, of which he is Minister; & merits in the Opinion of the Vestry the Approbation & highest Re-war-d of a grateful People in the Discharge of the many la-borous, interesting, & sacred Duties which are instan[] to his office

John Cary Clk Ves[]

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* By mistake the leaf containing the pages of the MS. at present numbered 117 and 118 was, at some time when the MS. was rebound, inserted here. Obviously it should have been inserted after the leaf containing the pages now numbered 119 and 120.—C. G. C.

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Ordered that the Rev^d Armistead Smith be requested to in[] M^r Thomas James to return to our Parish, & act as Clerk to [] Churches; & that he assure him that the Vestry will exert the [] to promote his Interest as such, as well as in teaching Psal[] adjourned

Armis^d Smith

Test

Thomas Smith C. V.

* At a Meeting of a Vestry for Kingston Parish held at the New Church on t[] Day of Septem^r 1792, when were present the Rev^d Armistead Smith, Thomas Smith, George Armistead, Thom[] Smith Jun^r James Jones, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, Rob^t Cary, Rich^d Gregory

At a Meeting of a Vestry for Kingston Parish, held at the New Church on the 21st Day of Septem^r 1792. when were Present the Rev^d Armistead Smith, Thomas Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith Jun^r James Jones, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, & Robert Cary which appearing to be a Majority, the following Proceedings were entered into.

This day M^r Richard Gregory, M^r John Cary, & M^r Milton L. Glascock gave the [] attendance, & were duly qualified to act as Vestrymen untill the next triennial Electi[]

Ordered That the Rev^d Armistead Smith be Put in Possession of the Glebe house & Lands on the 1st Day of Jan^y 1793 to be made use of & enjoyed by him as the Minister of this Parish.

Ordered, that the Churchwardens do furnish out of the Means now in their Hands, fine Hollan[] for two Surprices for the use of their Minister.

The Vestry having nothing farther to delivered on, Ordered that it be now adjourned

Armis. Smith

* This entry is half erased in the MS., but is still legible.—C. G. C.

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[] Meeting of the Vestry for Kingstone Parish held at
[] Jos Roads on the 27th day of March 1793

When were Present Thomas Smith Sen^r Thomas Smith Jun^r
George Armistead Robert Cary Richard Gregory Dudley Cary
and John Cary which Appearing to be a Majority the Vestry
Proceeded to Adopt the following Orders

Ordered That The Rev^d Armistead Smith and Dudley Cary
Esquire be Appointed Deputys to meet the Episcopal Clergy
& Laity in Convention to regulate all Religious concern of the
Protestant Episcopal Church its doctrine discipline & Wor-
ship & to institute such rules & regulations as shall be judged
nece[]ary for the Prosperity & Good Government thereof

Ordered That Thomas James be appointed Clerk of the
upper and Lower Church and that he have notice thereof as
this day Elected by the Vestry and that it be recommended to
him to send forward Subscriptions to enable him to do the
duties thereof

Armis^d Smith

At a Vestry held in Kingstone Parish in the County of
Mathews on the 27th day of July 1793 When were present
the following Members Viz The Rev^d Armistead Smith Thomas
Smith Jun^r Robert Cary George Armistead Richard Gregory
and John Cary

Ordered that it be announced to the Rev^d Armistead Smith
by the Churchwardens of this Parish that the Vestry are
duly impressed with a Recollection of the Singular Services,
which he has Rendered both to the Church in its collective
Capacity, as well as the Individuals of our Parish in the faith-
ful Discharge of the sacred Functions of a probationary Min-
ister in Deacons Orders;

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At a Meeting of the Vestry for the Parish of Kingst[]
in the County of Mathews the 13th day of May 1796

When were present the following Members Viz The Rev[]

Armistead Smith Thomas Smith Sen^r Thomas Smith []
 Richard Gregory Francis Armistead John Patterson Ja[]
 Van Bibber John Cary & Sands Smith We the under W[]
 Vestrymen & Trustees do oblige ourselves to be conforma[]
 to the doctrin disciplin and Worship of the Protest[]
 Episcopal Church in the United States of America and to the
 Orders & Cannons of the said Church in this []

Armistead Smith Min.
 Thomas Smith Sen[]
 Thomas Smith Ju[]
 R. Gregory
 James V. Bibber
 Francis Armistea[]
 Sands Smith
 John Cary

Ordered That Thomas James be appointed Clerk []
 Lower Church as also Clerk of the Vestry for this []

Ordered that Thomas Smith Jun^r & John [] be Appointed Church Wardens for this Parish [] as such till the next Trianual Election

Ordered that the Rev^a Armisted Smith & James V. [] Esquire be Appointed Deputys to meet the Episcopal Cle[] & laity in Convention to be holden at Richmond in [] next to regulate all Religious concerns of the Protesta[] Episcopal Church its Doctrin disciplin & Worship & to []-

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stitute such rules & regulations as shall be Judged neceſſ [] for the Prosperity & good Government thereof

Ordered that Thomas Smith Sen^r & Rich^a Gregory Esq fo[]mer Church Wardens of this Parish Meet the Next Vestry [] Settle & Acct. for all Money that may have come into their hands for the use of the Churches

Ordered that John Patterson Esq^r be requested to purchase a Record Book for the use of the Church & that Rich^a Gregory

Esq^r late Church Warden be requested to [] With him for the same

The Vestry being informed that John Patterson Esq^r [] fuses to Subscribe as Vestryman agreeable to his Election

Ordered that Rich^a Wiatt be appointed Vestryman [] this Parish in his stead & that the Clerk make known [] the said Wiatt his s^a Appointment

[]dered that Francis Armistead be Appointed Tresurer [] this Parish

Armistead Smith Minis.

John Cary Clk Protем

At a Court held for Gloucester County the 5. day of Feby
1784

Ordered that the Vestry of Kingston Parish in this County divide the said Parish into so many precincts as to them shall seem most convenient for processioning every persons Lands within the said Parish and appoint particular times between the last day of March next and the last day of September following when the processioning shall be made in every precinct and also appoint two intelligent Honest freeholders of every precinct to see the Procesisioning perform'd and to take and return to the s^a Vestry an Account of every persons land th[] procession and of the persons present at th[] and of what lands in their precinct they sha[] procession and of the particular reasons for []

Copy. C. Pry[]

Note: The above entry—which sufficiently explains itself—was written upon a scrap of old laid paper, six by eight inches, which was later pasted upon a sheet of ordinary, modern white paper, six by ten inches. It was found lying in, but not attached to, the Kingston Parish Vestry Book.—C. G. C.

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CLERGYMEN

The following list contains the names of the ministers (Incumbents of the Parish and temporary supply preachers), who served, or were elected to serve, Kingston Parish between 1680 and 1796. The numeral (in parentheses) preceding the clergyman's name indicates the number of the page on which the name first appears. The date (in parentheses) following the name indicates the year in which the clergyman's name is first mentioned in this book.

- (2) Zyperus, Mychaell (1680)
 - (7) Boker, James (1690)
 - (23) Blacknall, John (1740)
 - (40) Dickson, John (1749)
 - (41) Locke, Richard (1749)
 - (43) Dixon, John (1750)
 - (91) Baker, Thomas (1770)
 - (94) Feilde, Thos. (1770)
 - (110) Read, Robert (1778)
 - (112) Reade, Thos. (1778)
 - (115) McBride, James (1783)
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 - (122) McBride, James (1786-elected)
 - (126) Smith, Armistead (1792)
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The following list contains the names of clergymen who offered themselves unsuccessfully as candidates for the Incumbency of Kingston Parish:

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| (94) | Baker, Thomas (1770) |
| (94) | Hamilton, Arthur (1770) |
| (94) | Avens, Archibald (1770) |
| (110) | Dunlop, William (1778) |
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The following list contains the names of the Clerks of the Vestry of Kingston Parish between 1679 and 1796:

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| (2) | Axe, George* (1679) |
| (13) | Bolton, Henry (1701) |
| (24) | Brookes, Wm. (1740) |
| (44) | Davis, John (1750) |
| (114) | James, Thos. (1783) |
| (126) | Smith, Thos. (1792) |
| (127) | Cary, John (1793) |
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The following list contains the names of the physicians mentioned in this book:

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| (28) | Roche (1742) |
| (29) | Symmer, John (1743) |
| (42) | Whiting, Peter (1750) |
| (50) | Asselin (1753) |
| (81) | Johnson, George (1765) |
| (90) | Clayton, Thos. (1769) |
| (107) | Jones, Edw. S. (1776) |
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* With regard to George Axe it is interesting to note that in 1671 a man of the same name was serving as "Reader" (Clerk) of Pyanckatancke Church in the neighboring Parish of Christ Church, Middlesex County, and that from this date until Nov. 5, 1678, he seems to have served as clerk in two or three other churches and chapels in the parish. After 1678 his name appears no more in the Christ Church Parish records. See *The Vestry Book of Christ Church Parish, Middlesex County, Virginia, 1663-1767*.—C. G. C.

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